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# String Quartet

in G major.

*By*

## ARNOLD BAX.

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## I

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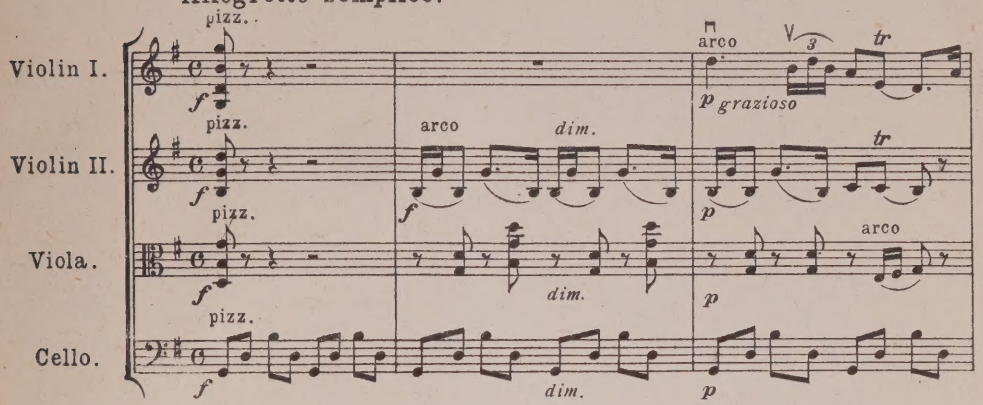


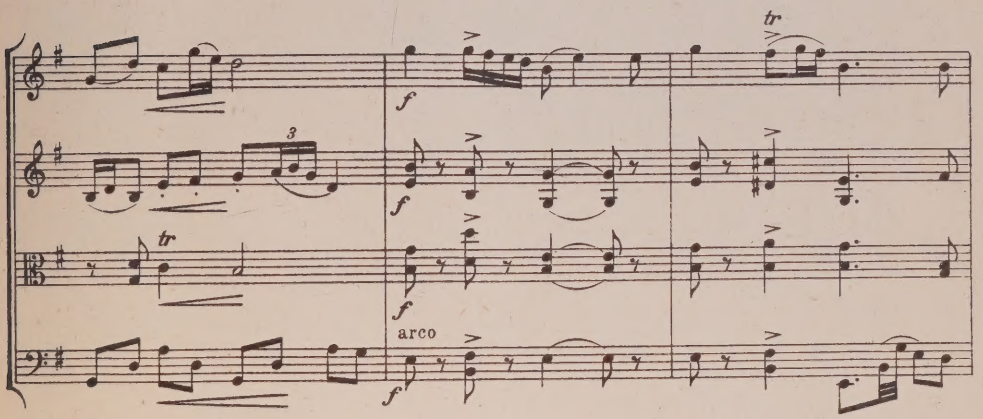


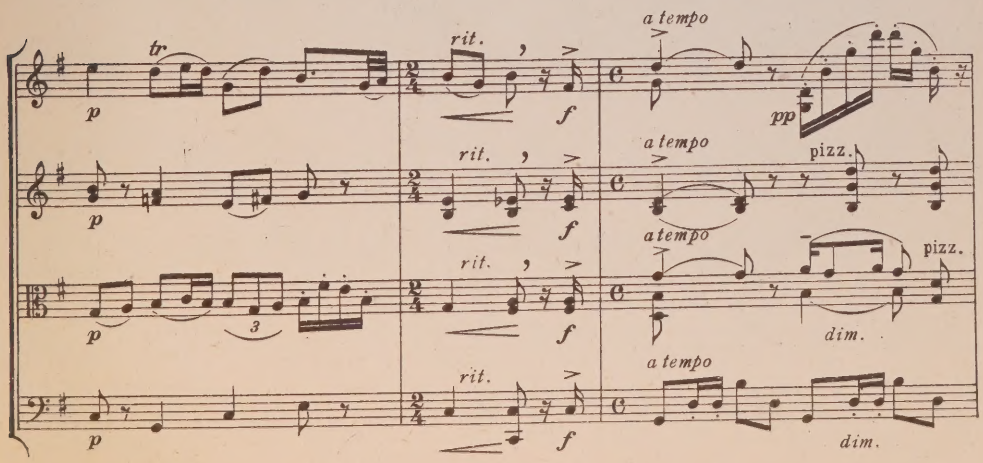


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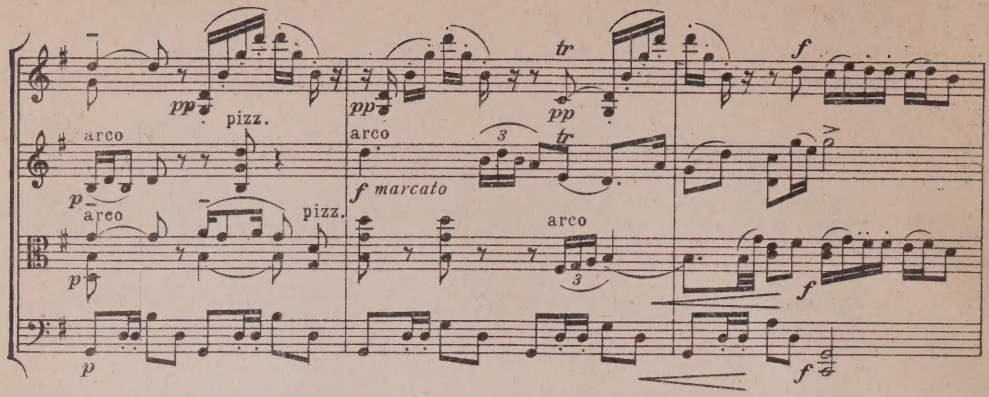
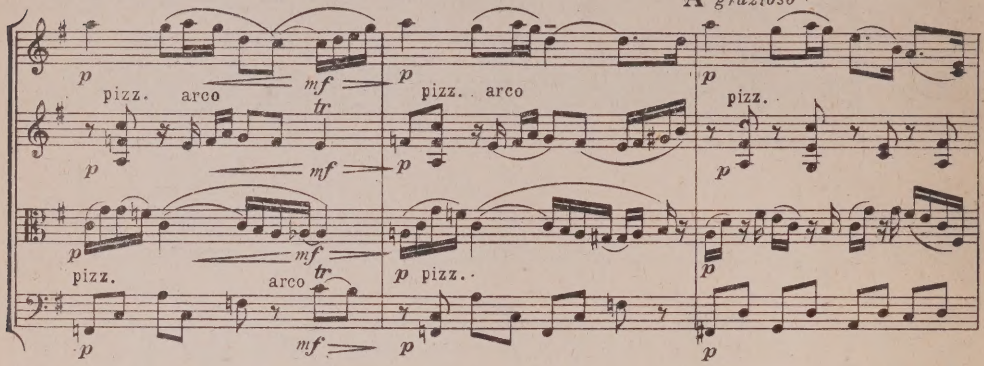
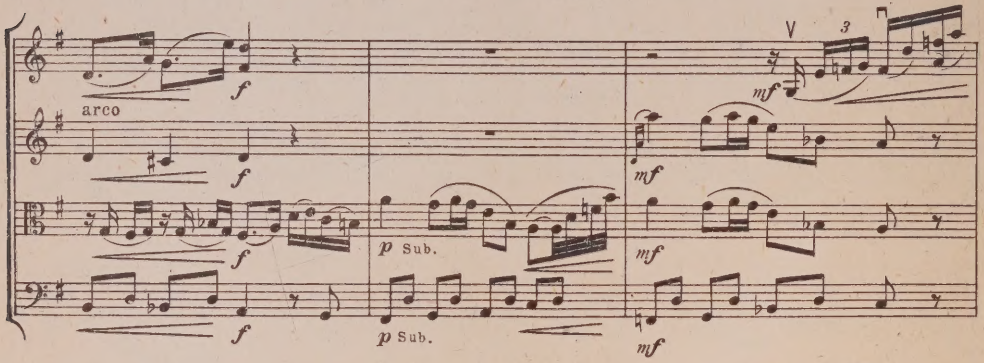

pp
pizz.
arco
p
tr
f marcato
f


A grazioso
p
mf
pizz.
arco
tr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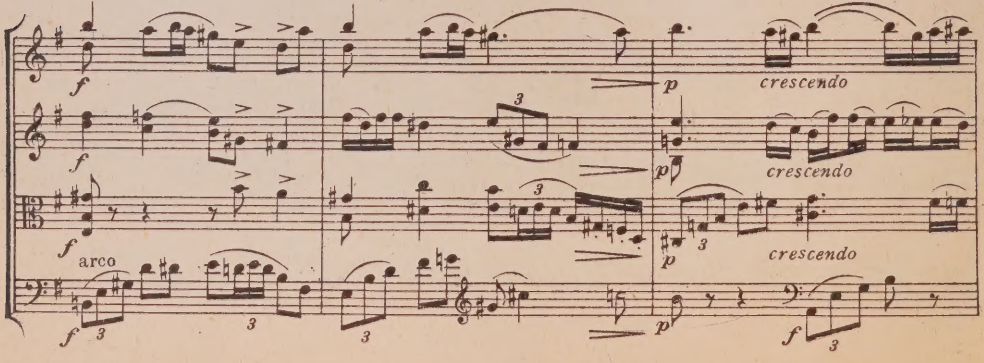
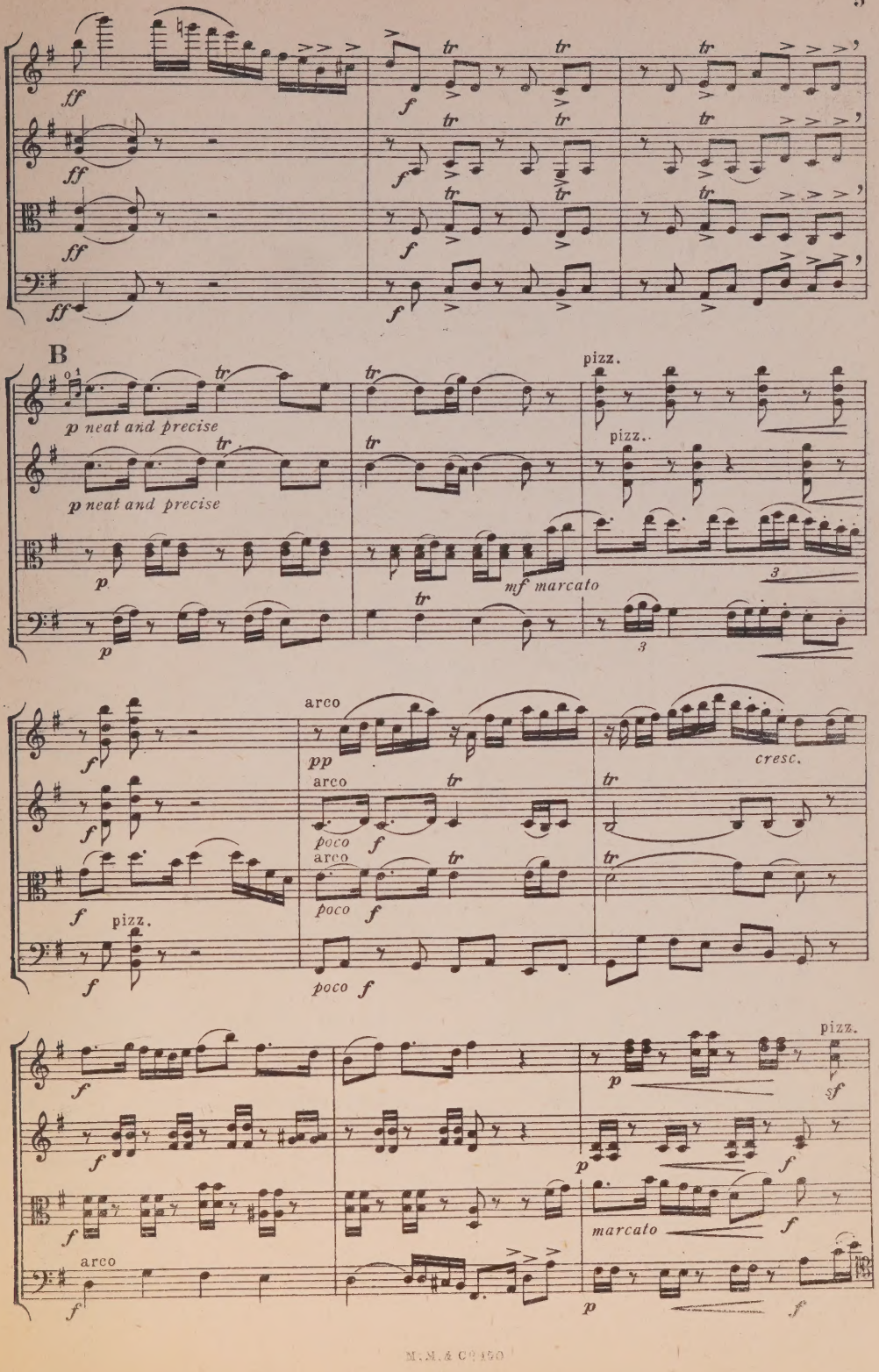
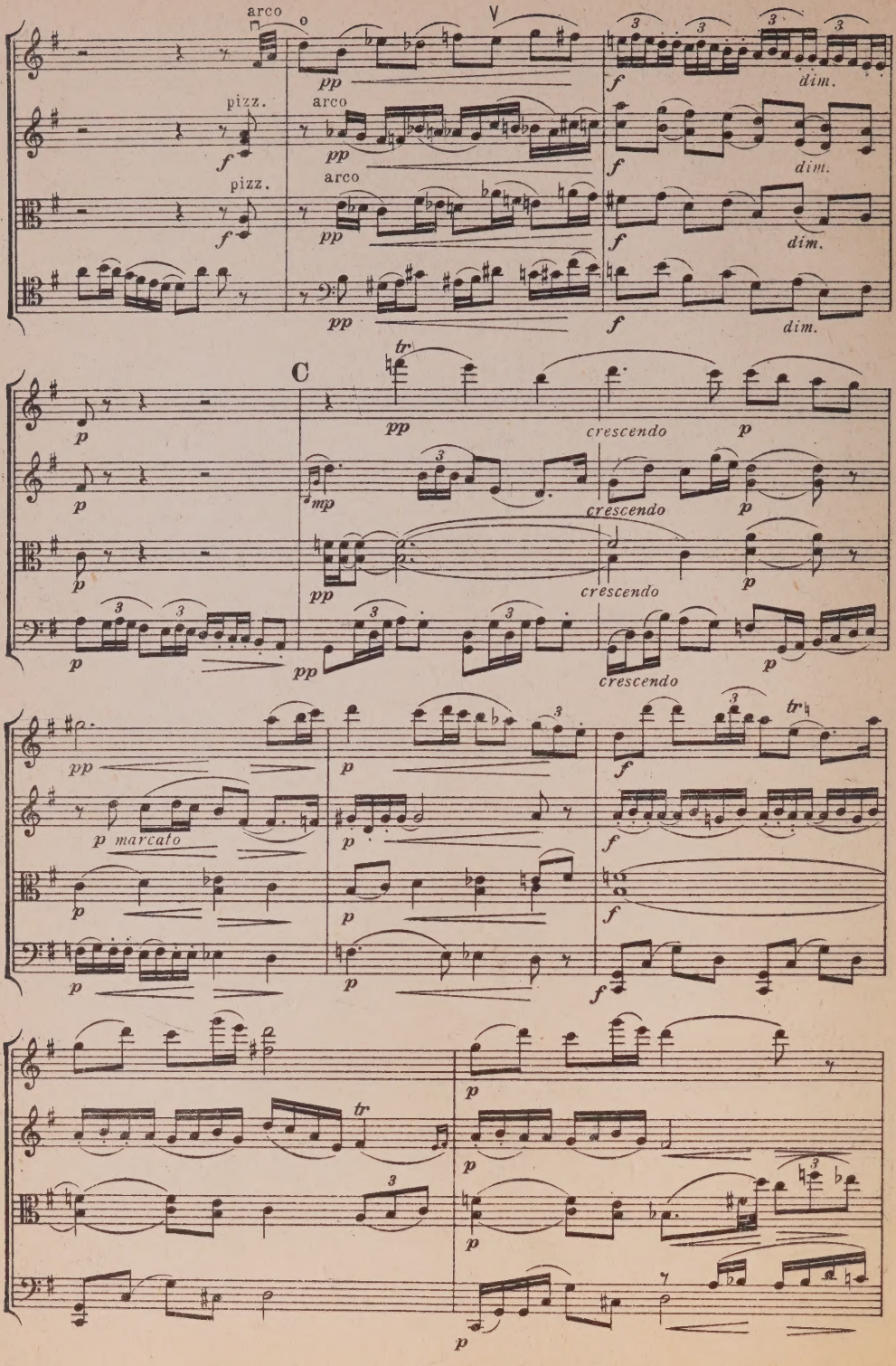
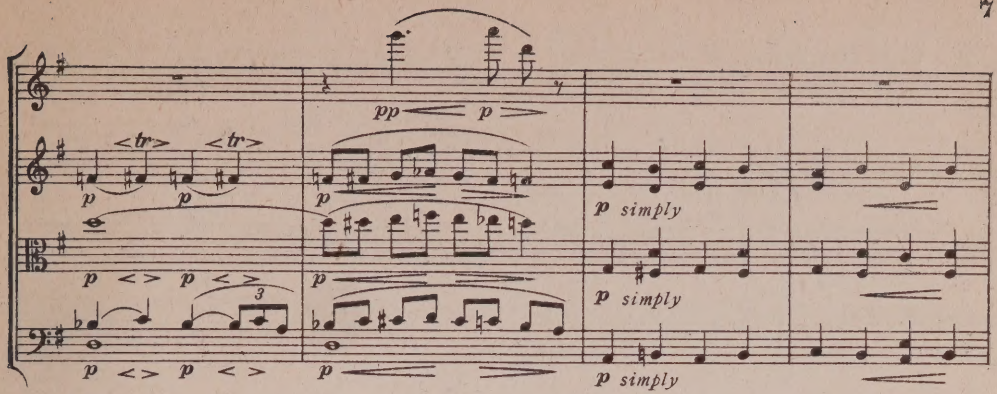
f
p Sub.
mf


arco
crescendo


ff
f
tr
B
p neat and precise
pizz.
mf marcato
arco
pp
cresc.
poco
marcato
sf


arco
pizz.
arco
pizz.
arco
dim.
dim.
dim.
C
tr
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
marcato
tr
tr


pp p
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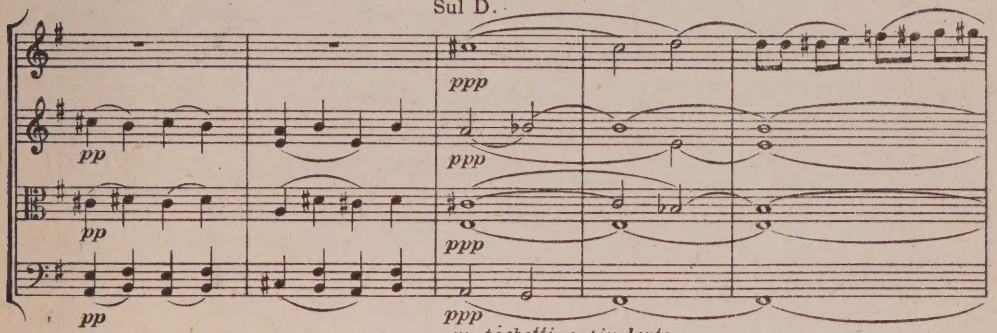
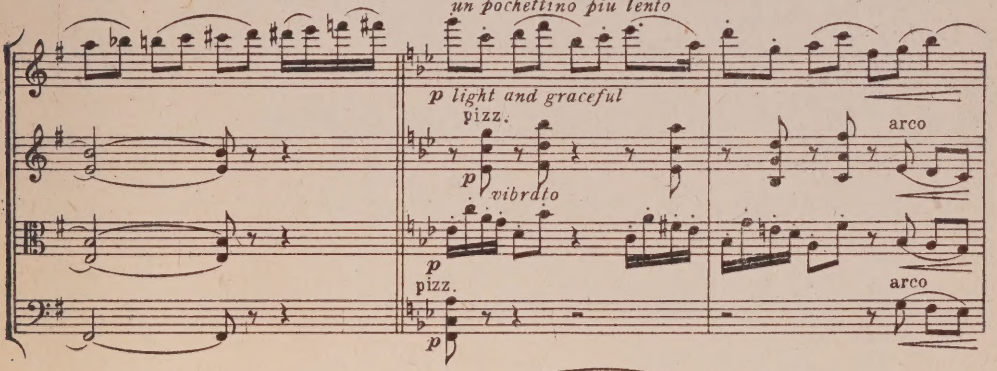
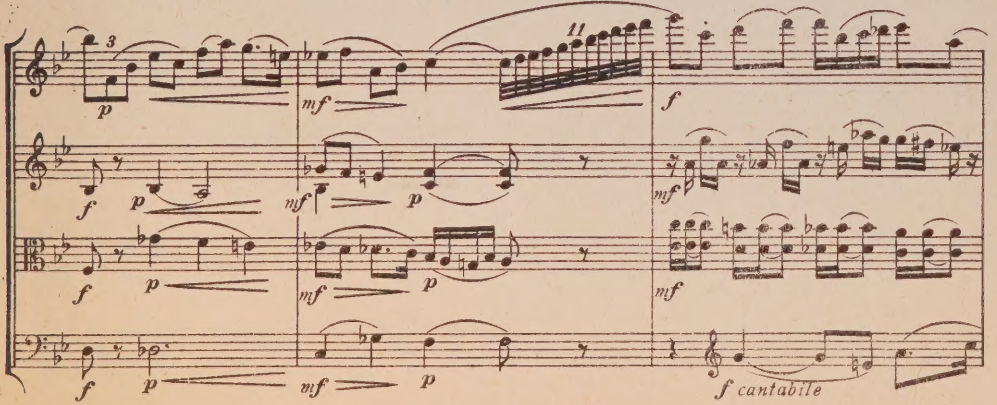
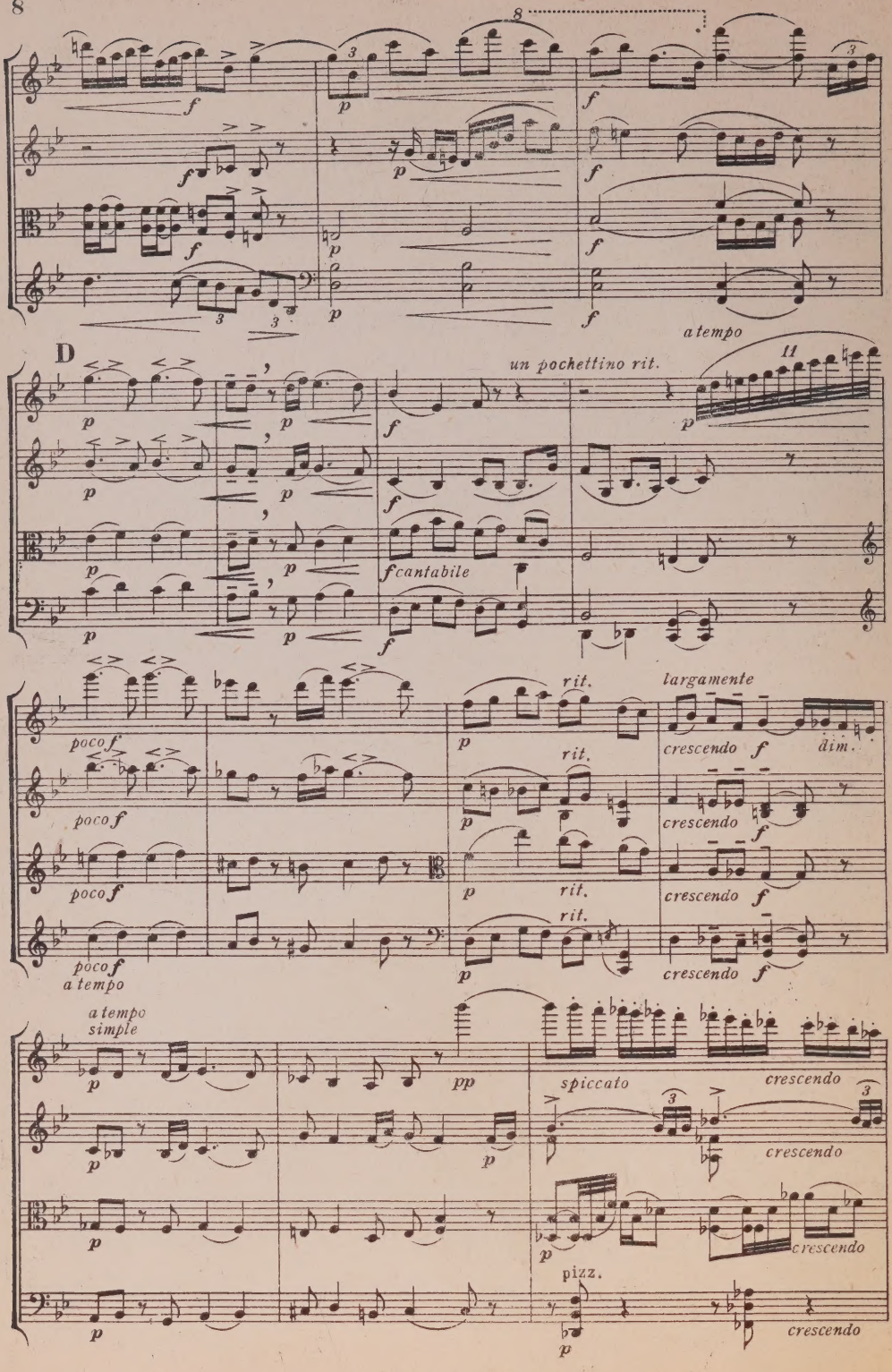
p p
p
p simply
p simply
p simply

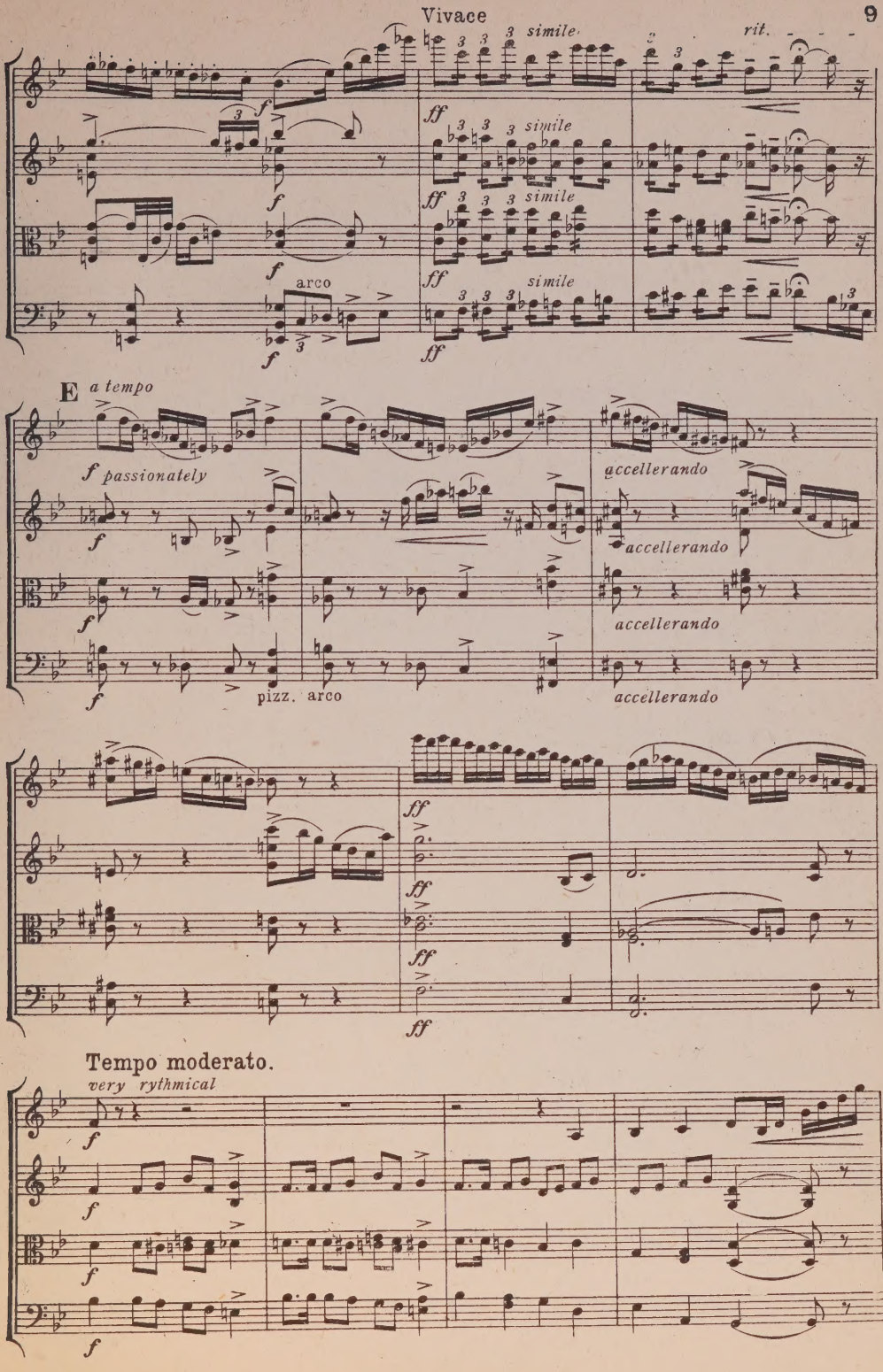
Sul D.


ppp
pp
ppp
pp
ppp
pp
ppp
un pochettino piu lento

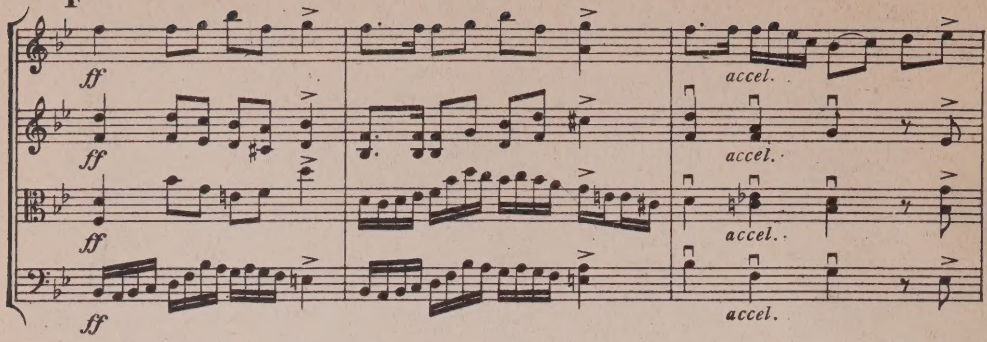

p light and graceful
pizz.
arco
p
vibrdto
p
pizz.
arco
p

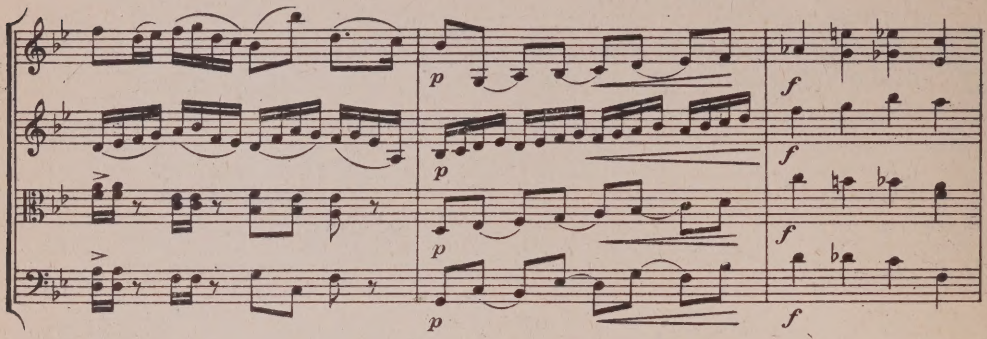

3
p
11
mf
f
f
p
mf
p
mf
f
p
mf
p
mf
f
p
mf
p
f cantabile

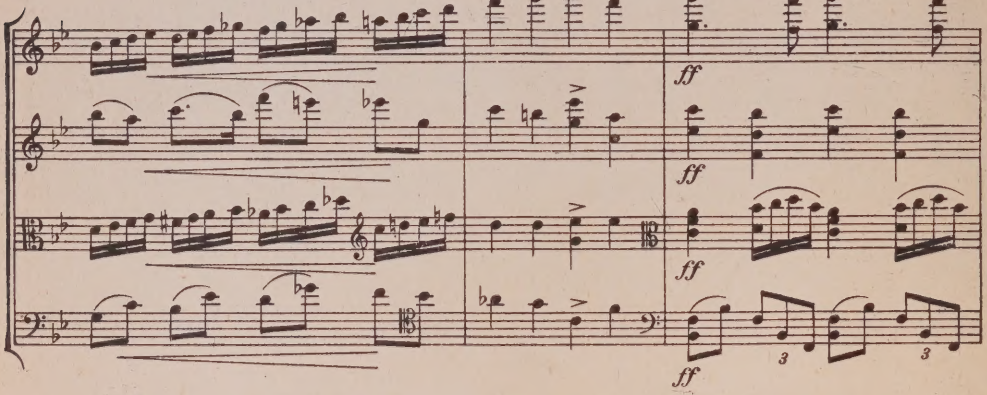

8
D
un pochettino rit.
a tempo
11
cantabile
poco f
a tempo
rit.
largamente
crescendo
dim.
a tempo
simple
spiccato
pizz.


Vivace
simile
rit.
arco
E
a tempo
f passionately
accellerando
pizz.
arco
Tempo moderato.
very rythmical

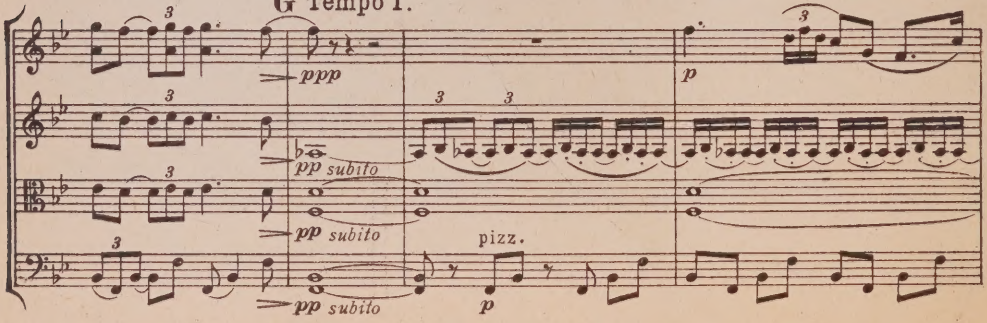
F

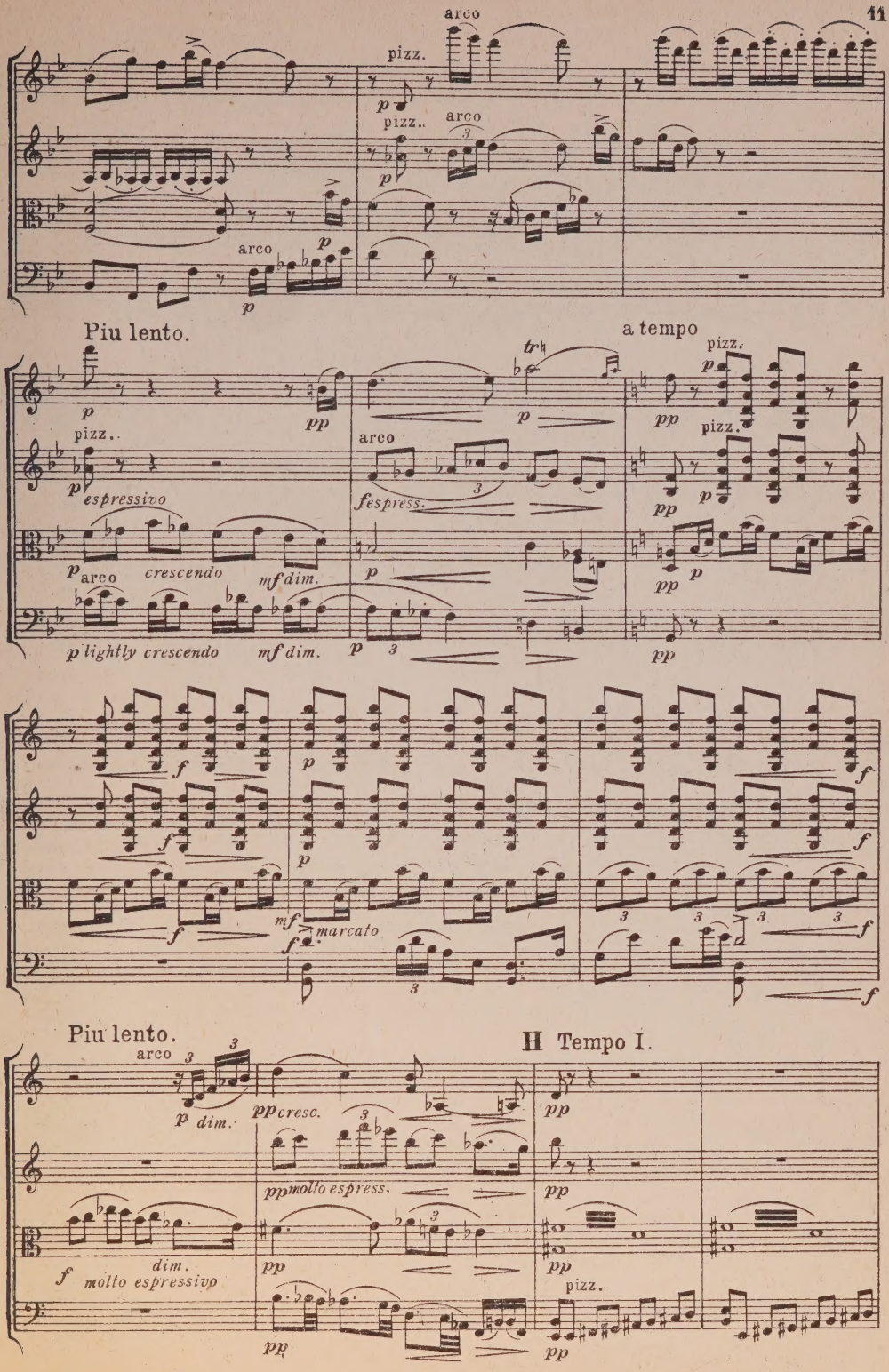


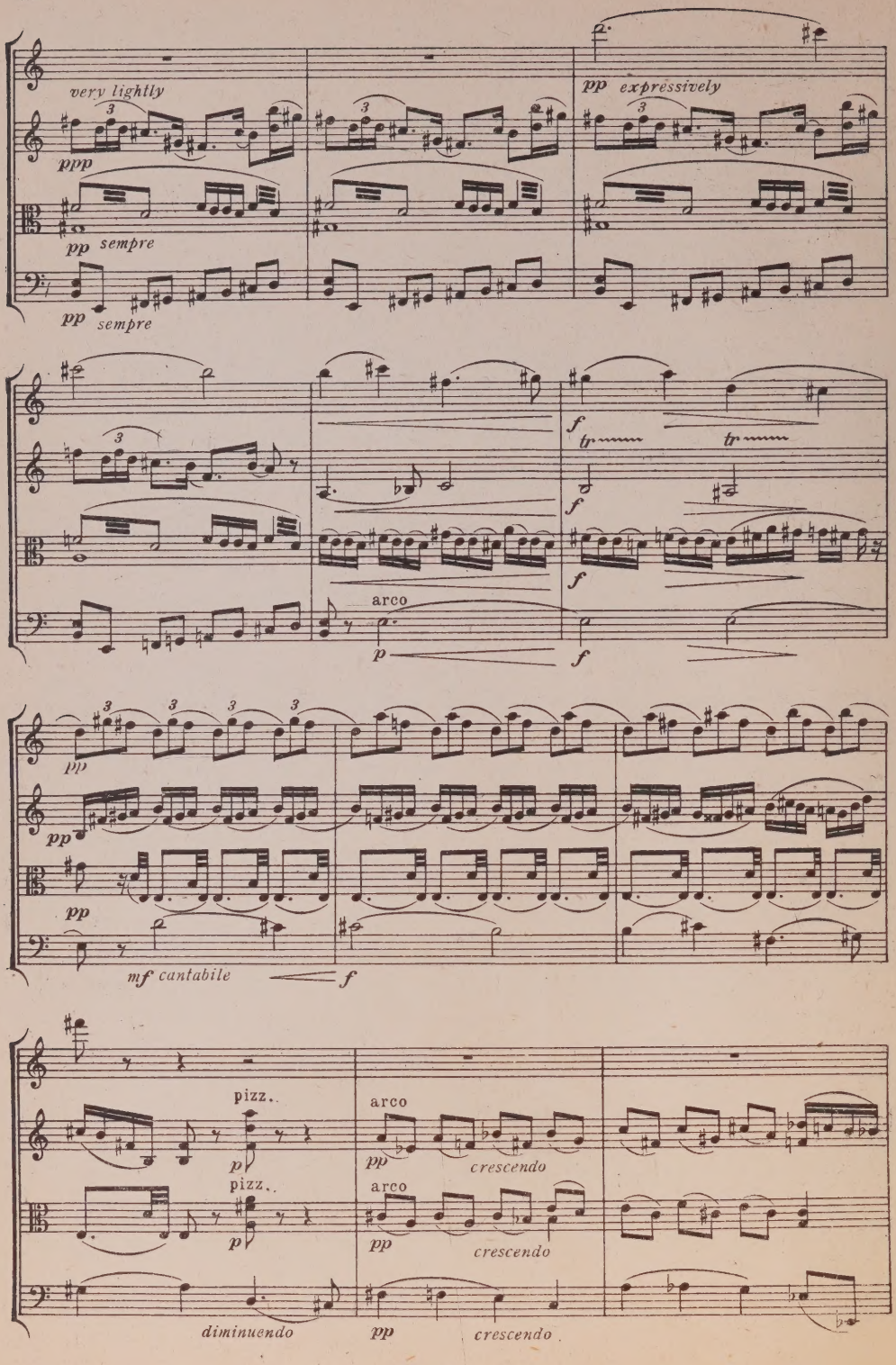



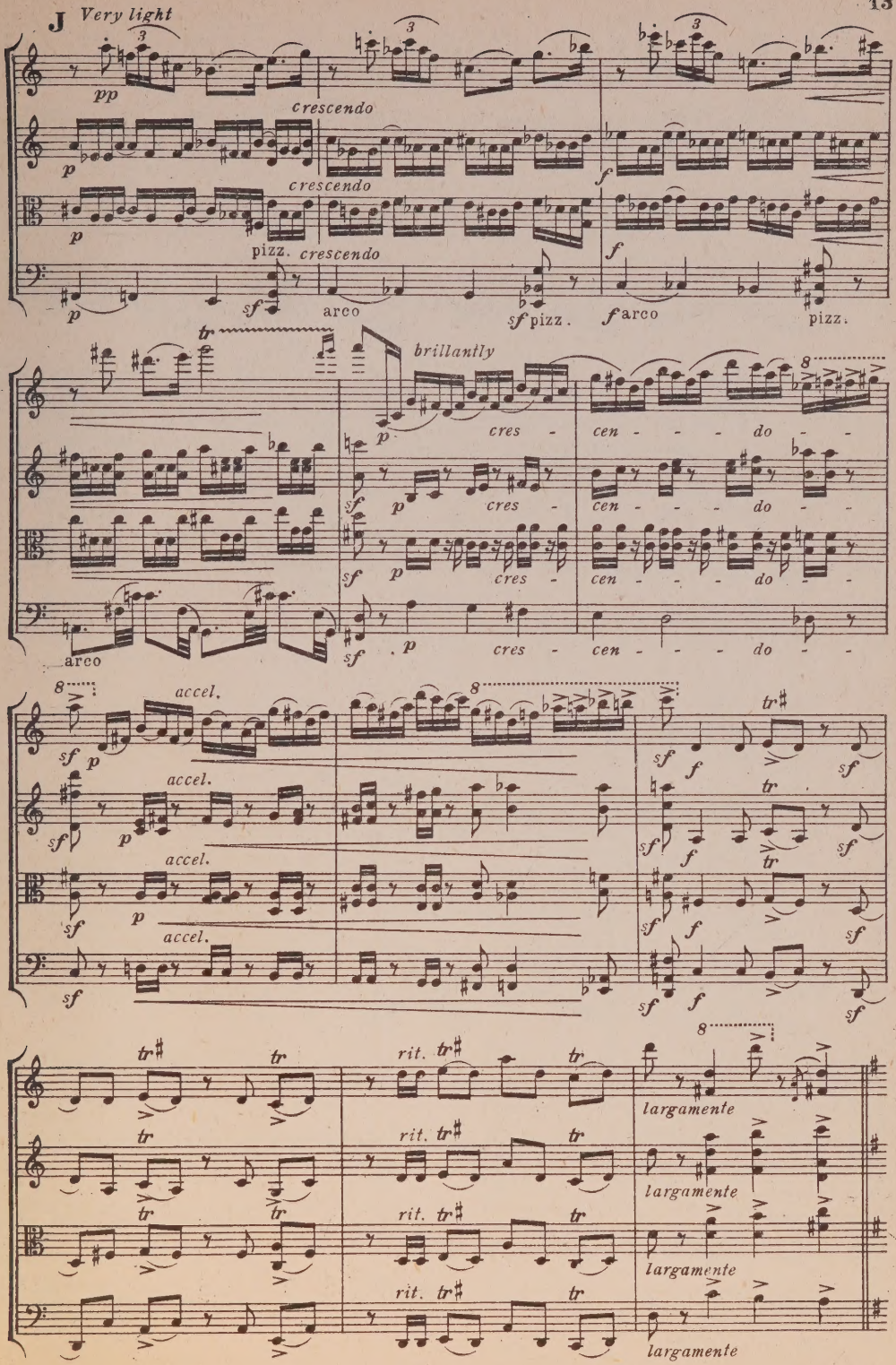



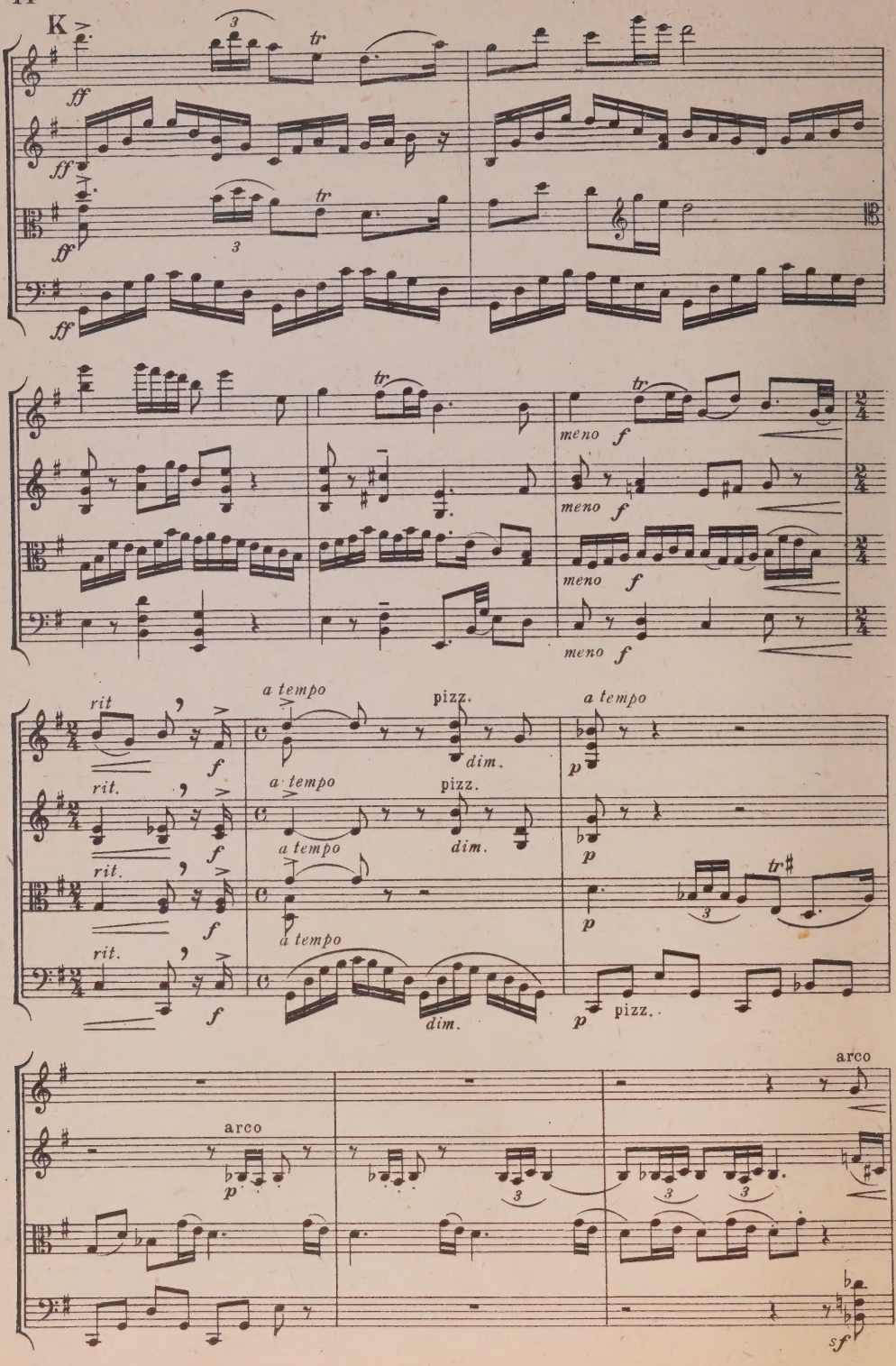

G Tempo I.

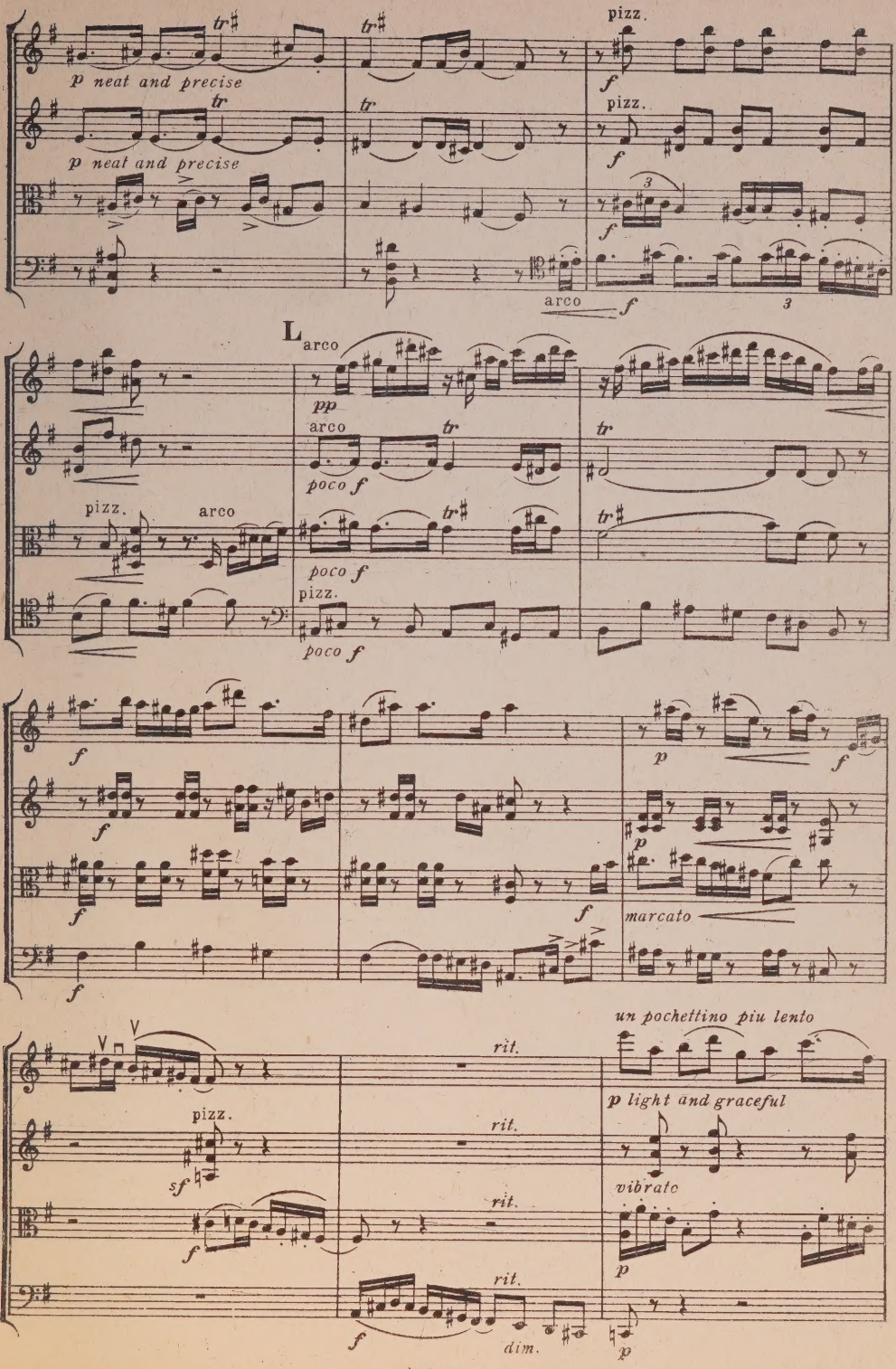


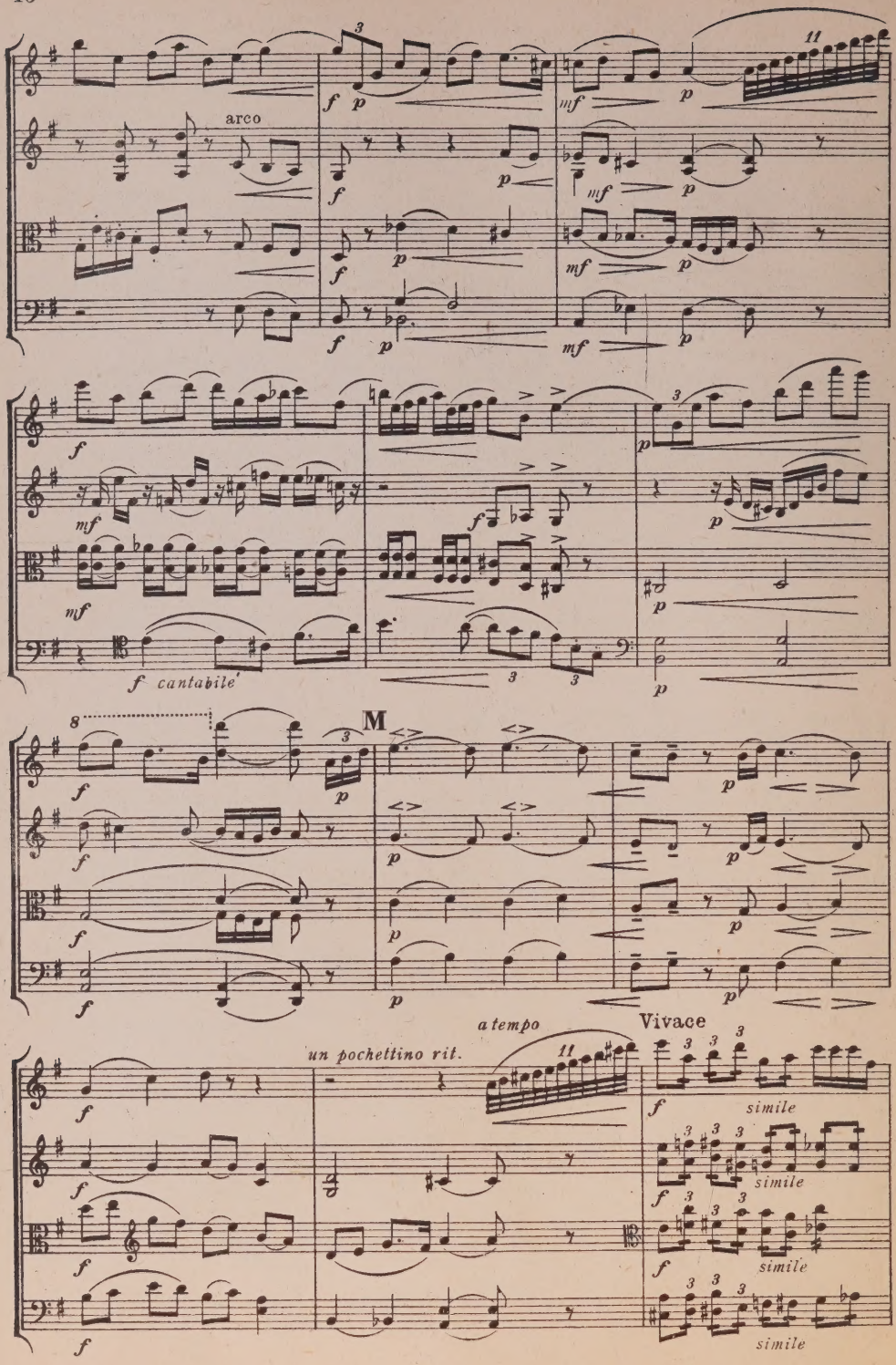

arco
pizz.
pizz.
arco
arco
Piu lento.
a tempo
pizz.
pizz.
pizz.
espressivo
arco
crescendo
lightly crescendo
arco
marcato
Piu lento.
arco
H Tempo I.
cresc.
molto espress.
molto espressivo
pizz.

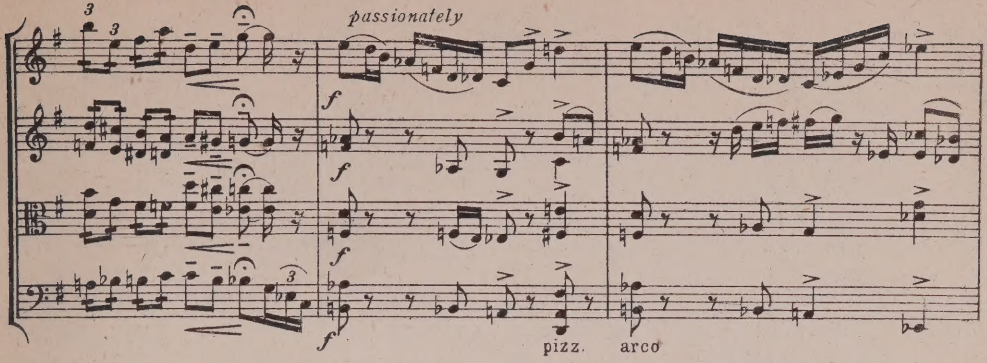

very lightly
ppp
pp sempre
pp sempre
pp expressively
arco
p
f
pp
mf cantabile
f
pizz.
p
pizz.
p
arco
pp
crescendo
arco
pp
crescendo
diminuendo
pp
crescendo

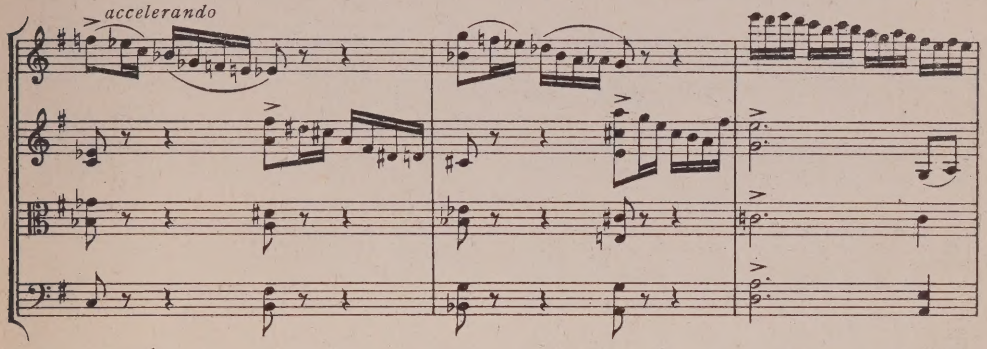

J Very light
pp
crescendo
p
crescendo
p
pizz.
crescendo
p
sf
arco
sf pizz.
f arco
pizz.
brillantly
p
cres - cen - - - do - -
sf
p
cres - cen - - - do - -
sf
p
cres - cen - - - do - -
sf
p
cres - cen - - - do - -
arco
accel.
sf
p
accel.
sf
p
accel.
sf
p
accel.
sf
f
sf
f
sf
f
sf
f
sf
rit.
largamente
largamente
largamente
largamente


K
ff
tr
meno f
rit.
a tempo
pizz.
dim.
p
arco
sf

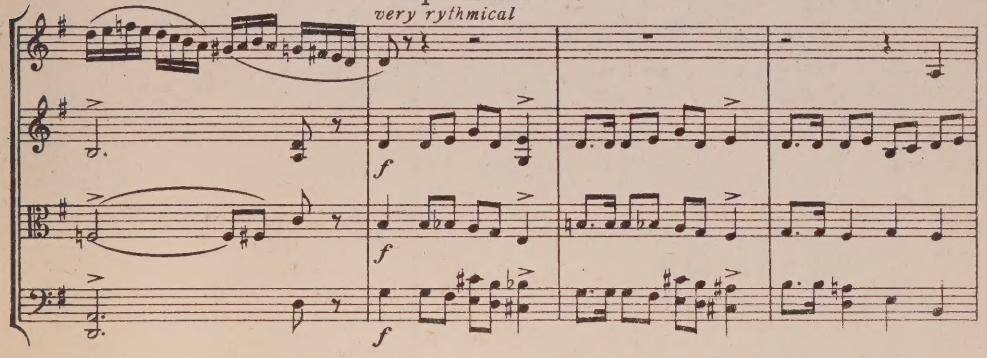

p neat and precise
tr
pizz.
f
arco
L
pp
poco f
marcato
un pochettino piu lento
p light and graceful
vibrato
rit.
sf
dim.

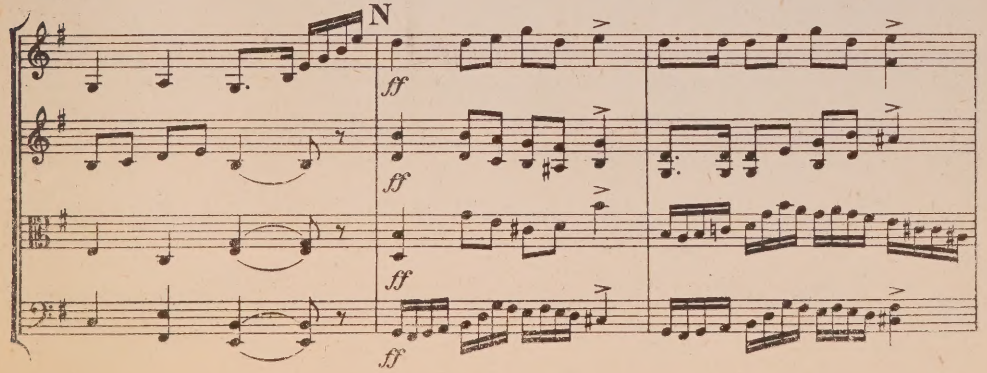

arco
f cantabile
M
a tempo
un pochettino rit.
Vivace
simile
simile
simile
simile

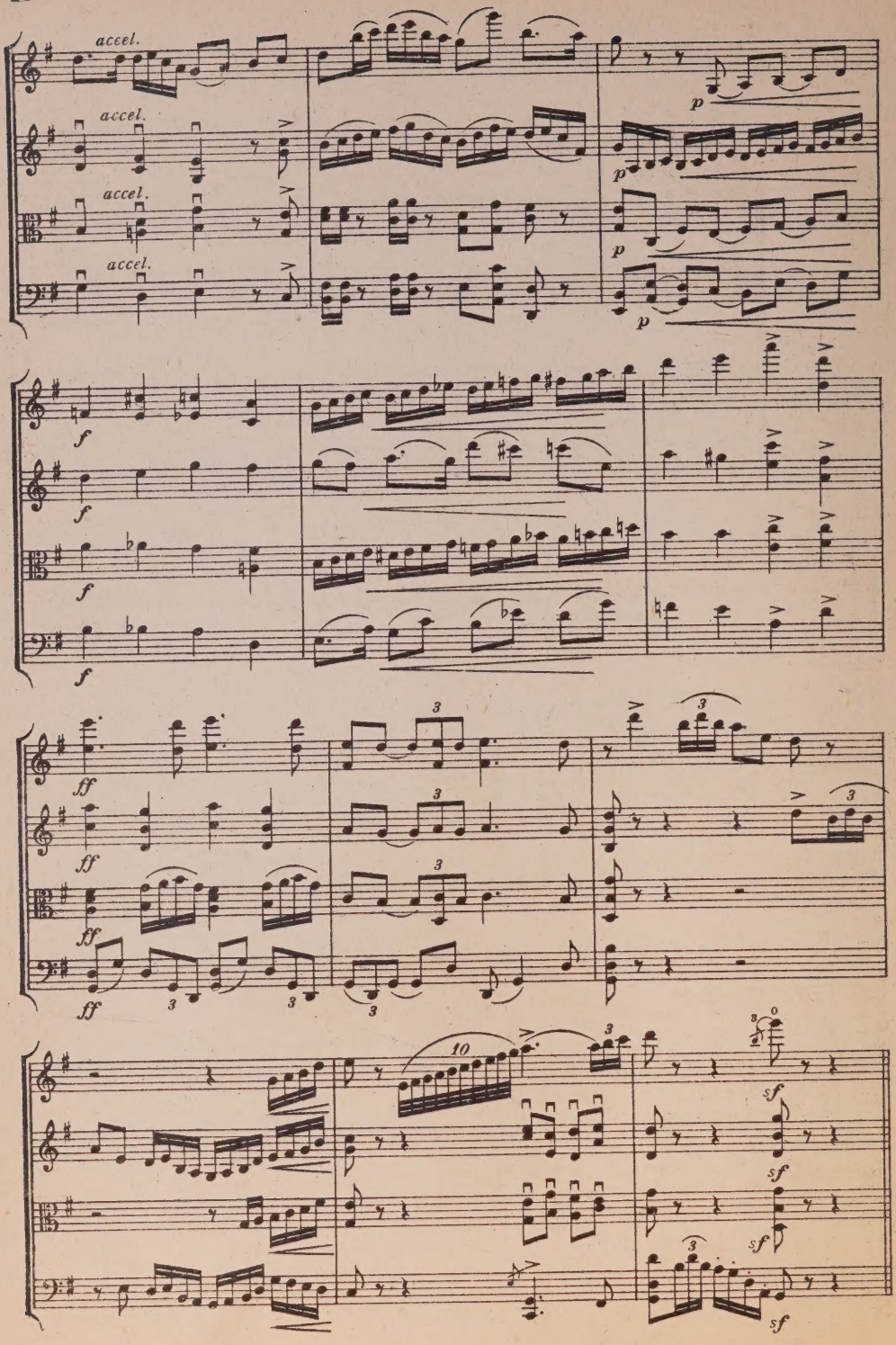


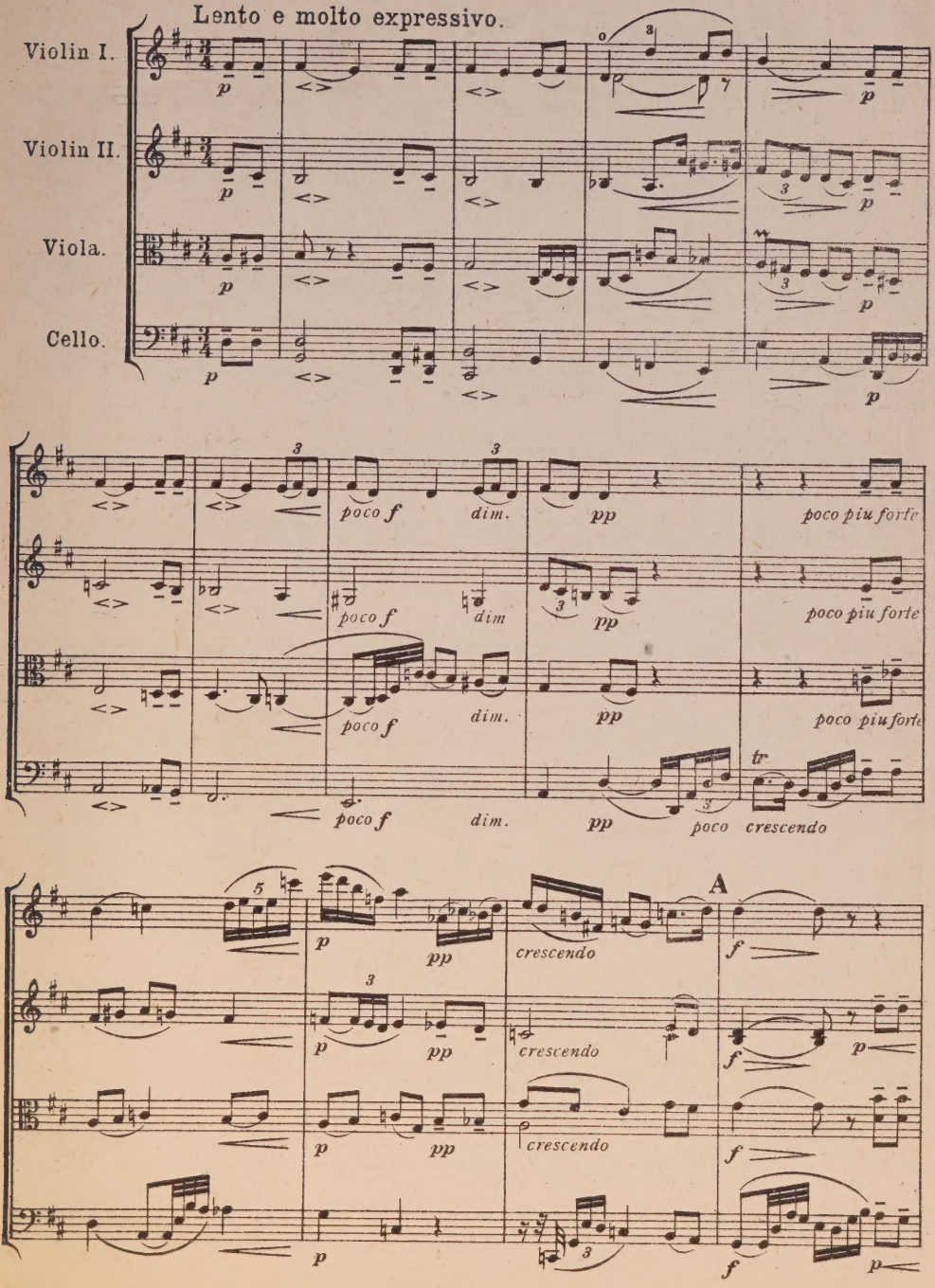

Tempo moderato.

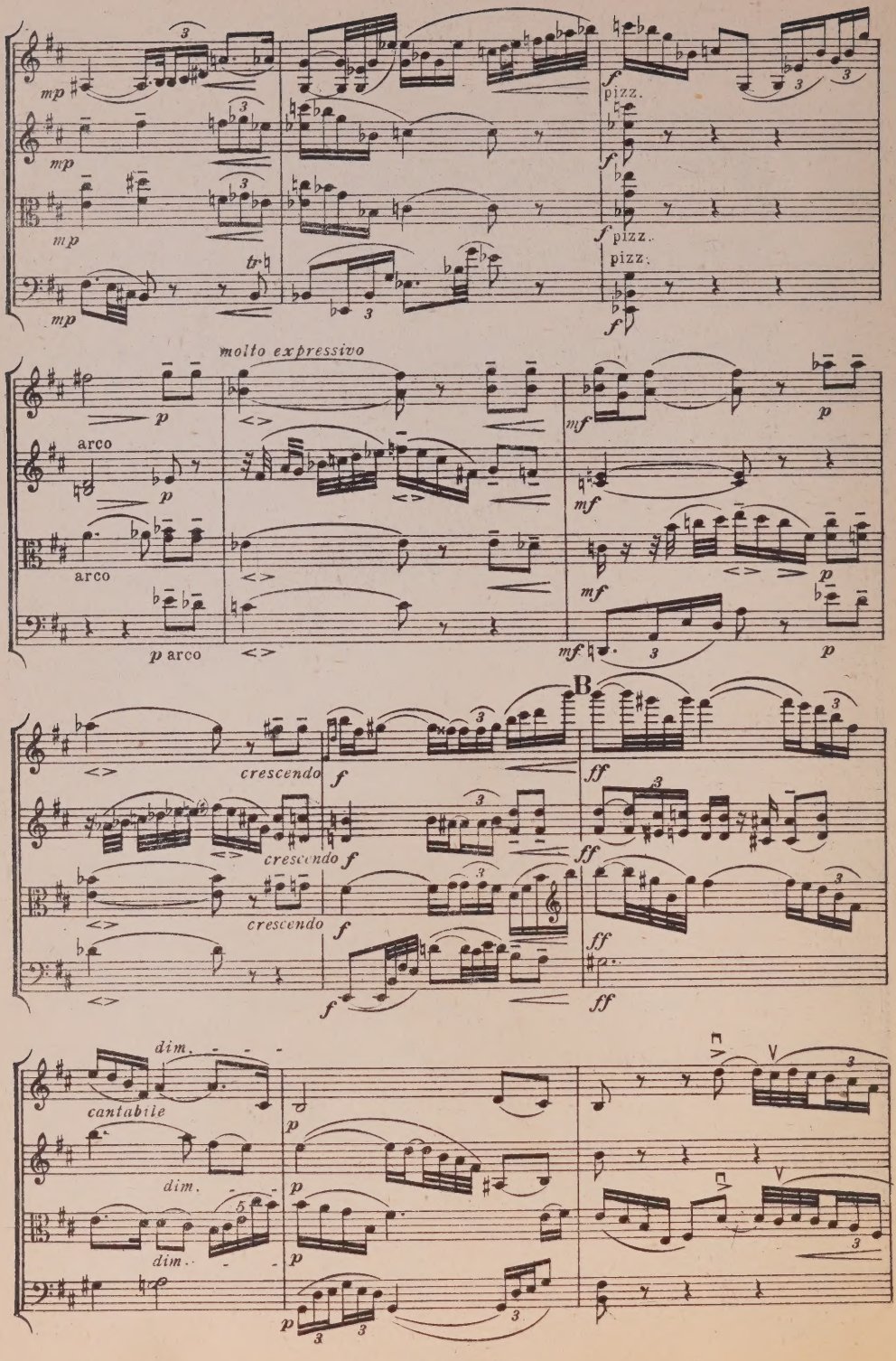


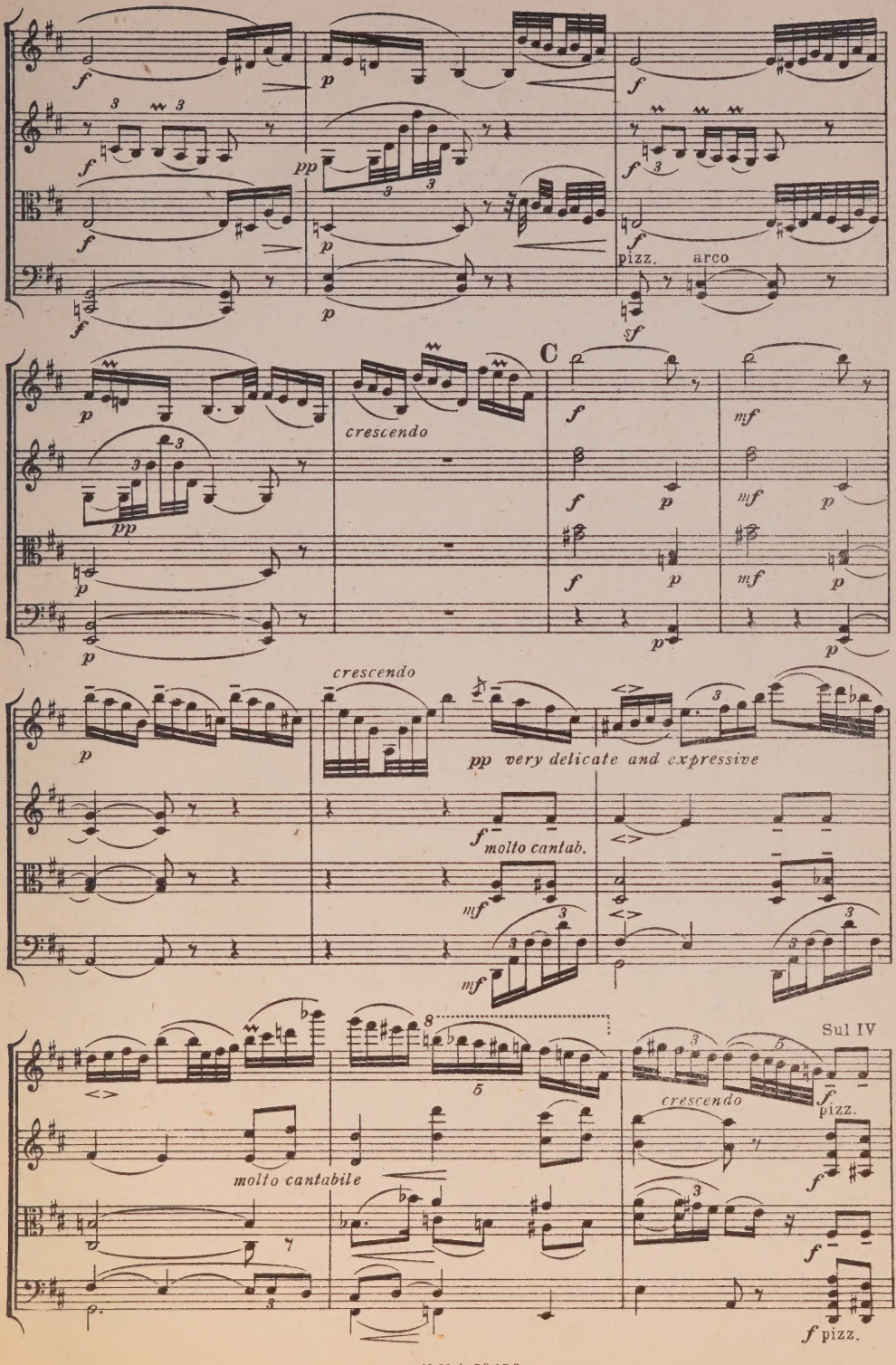



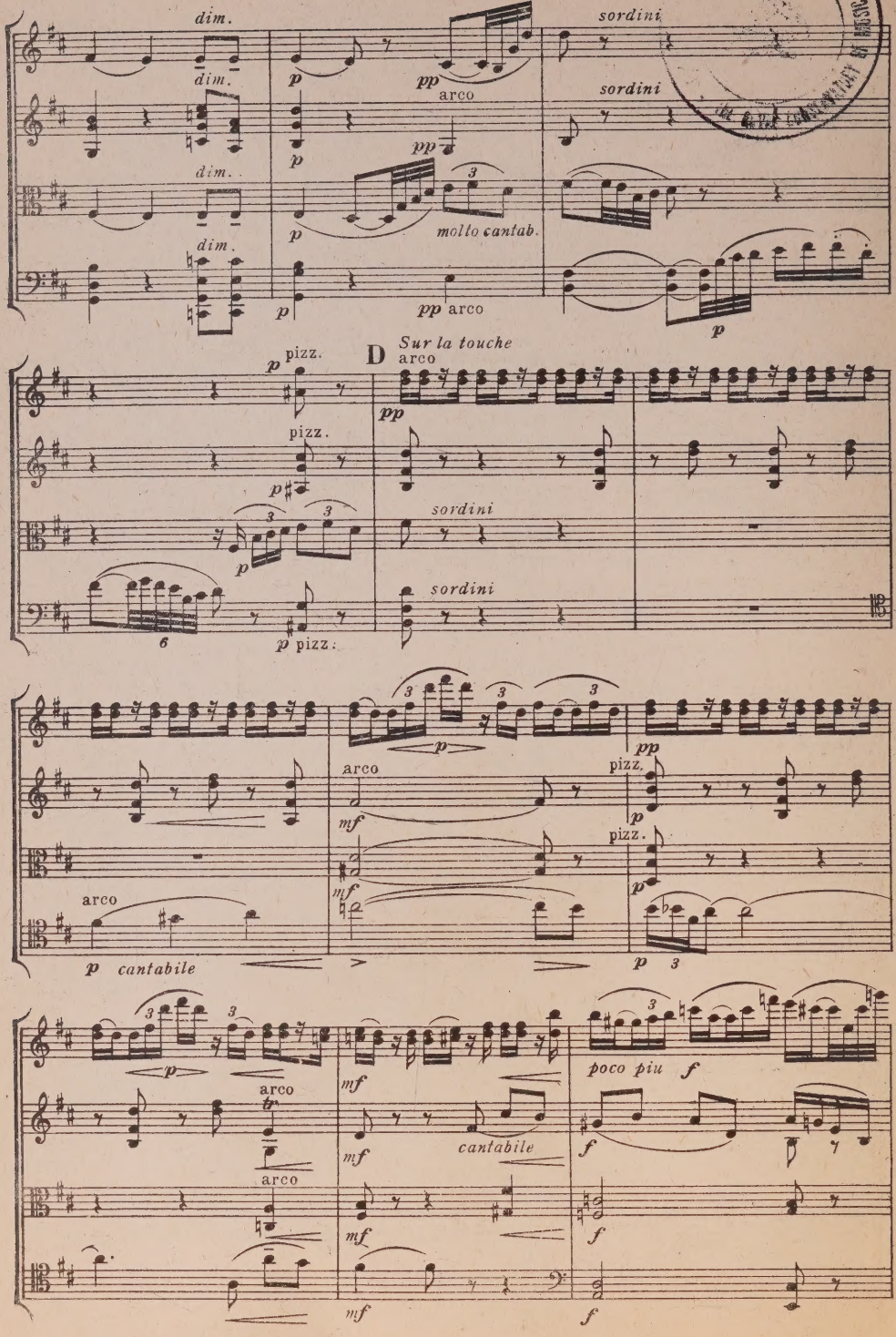

accel.
accel.
accel.
accel.
p
p
p
p
f
f
f
f
ff
ff
ff
ff
3
3
3
3
3
3
3
3
10
sf
sf
sf
sf

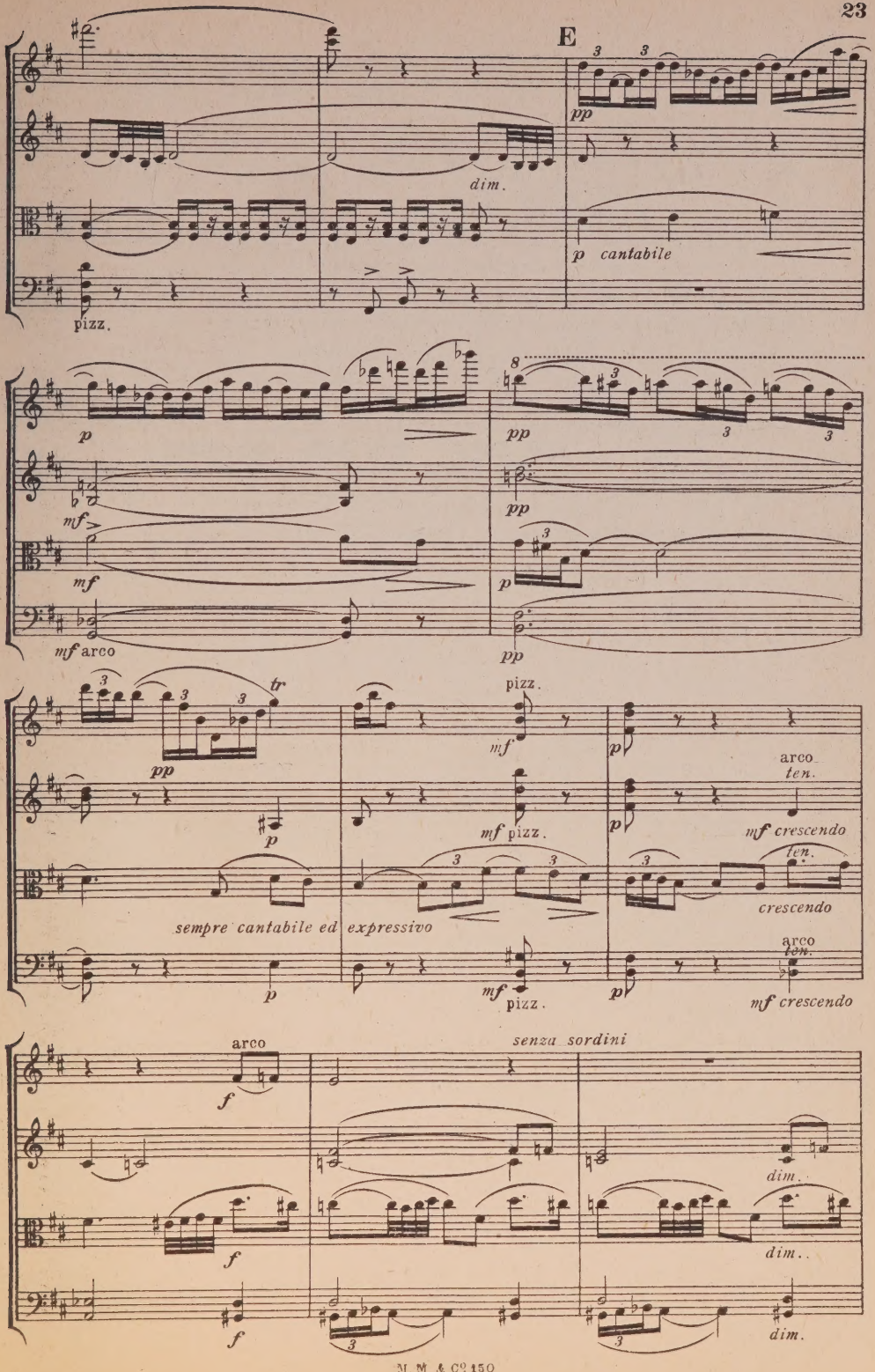
# II.

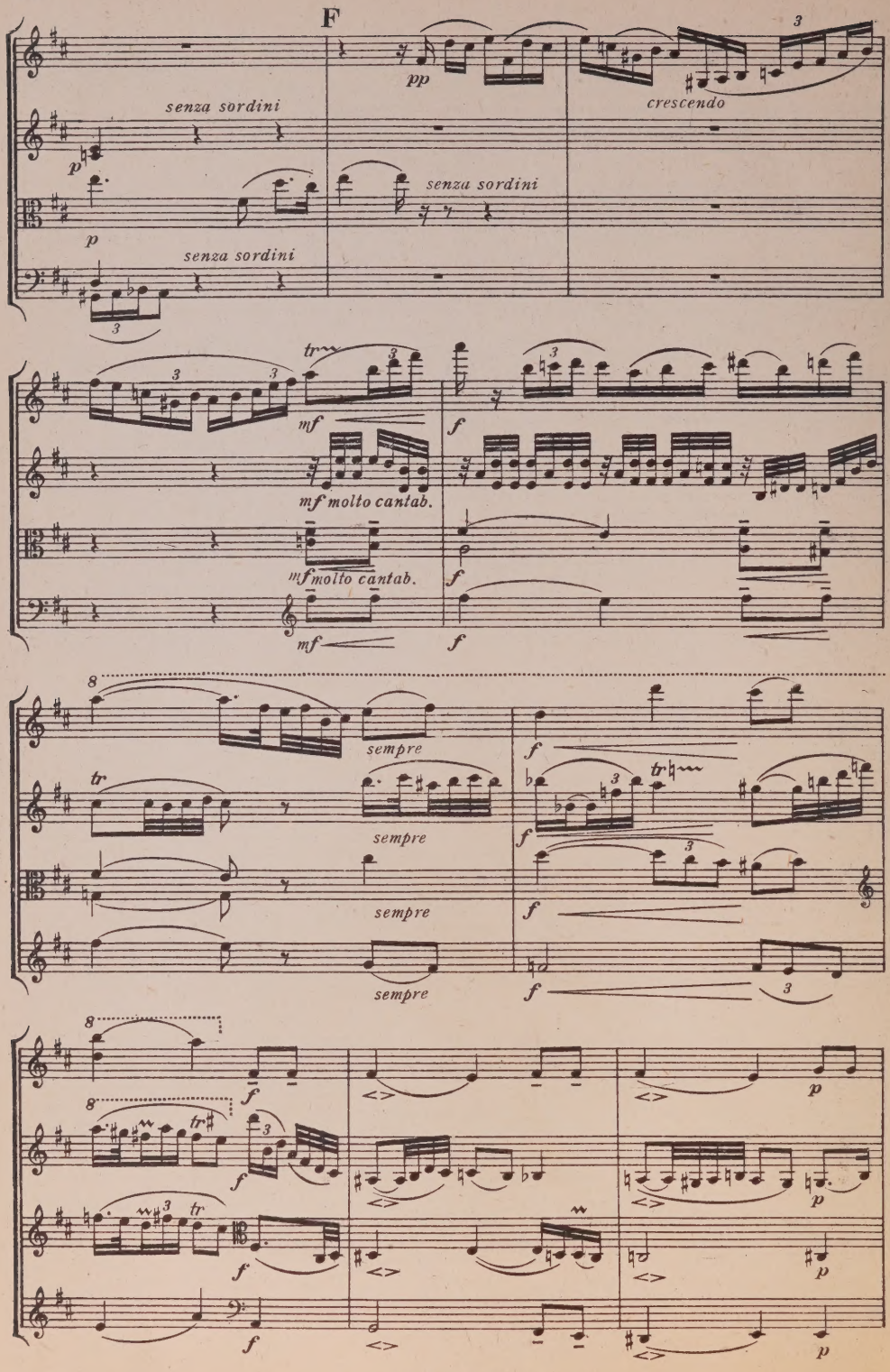

Lento e molto expressivo.
Violin I.
Violin II.
Viola.
Cello.
poco f
dim.
pp
poco piu forte
crescendo
A
f

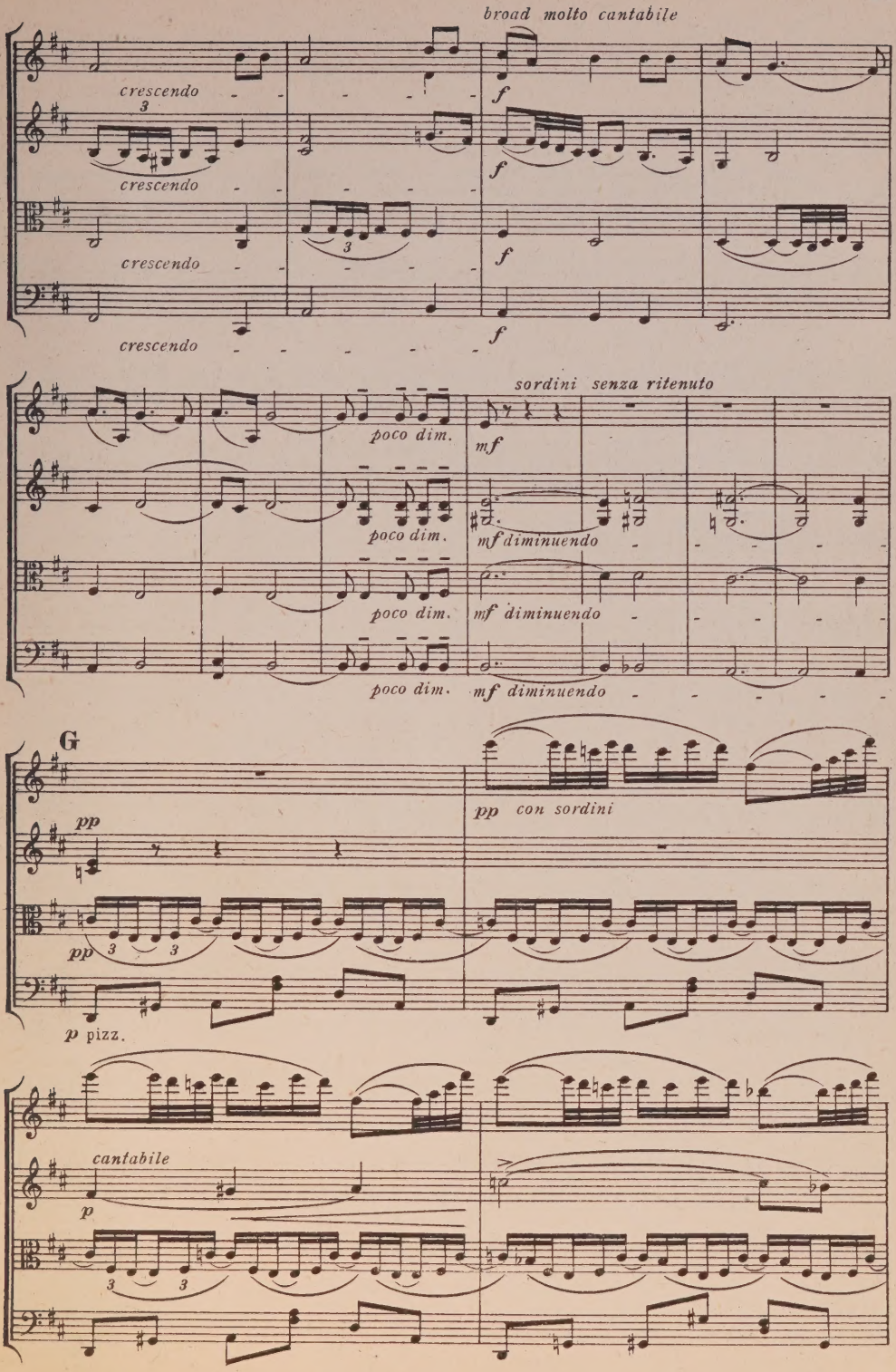

mp
f pizz.
molto expressivo
arco
p arco
mf
B
crescendo
ff
dim.
cantabile

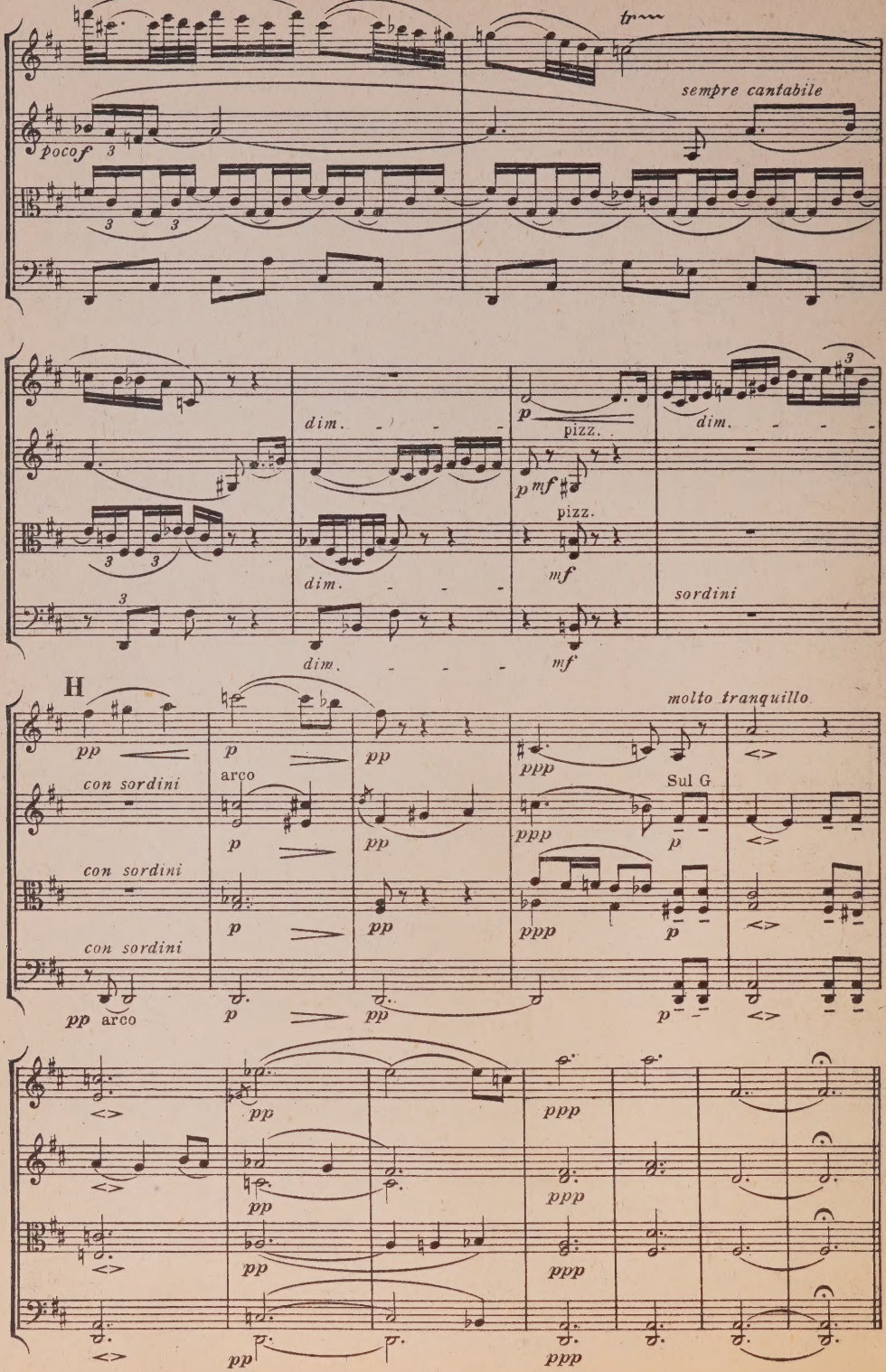

pizz.
arco
C
crescendo
pp very delicate and expressive
molto cantab.
molto cantabile
Sul IV
pizz.


dim.
dim.
dim.
dim.
p
pp
arco
p
pp
molto cantab.
p
pp arco
sordini
sordini
p
D
Sur la touche
arco
p pizz.
pizz.
pp
sordini
sordini
6
p pizz.
p
arco
mf
pizz.
p
pizz.
p
arco
mf
p cantabile
p
pp
p 3
p
arco
arco
mf
cantabile
mf
mf
mf
poco piu f
f
f
f


E
pizz.
dim.
pp
p cantabile
p
mf arco
mf
pp
tr
sempre cantabile ed expressivo
pizz.
mf pizz.
arco
ten.
mf crescendo
crescendo
f
senza sordini
dim.

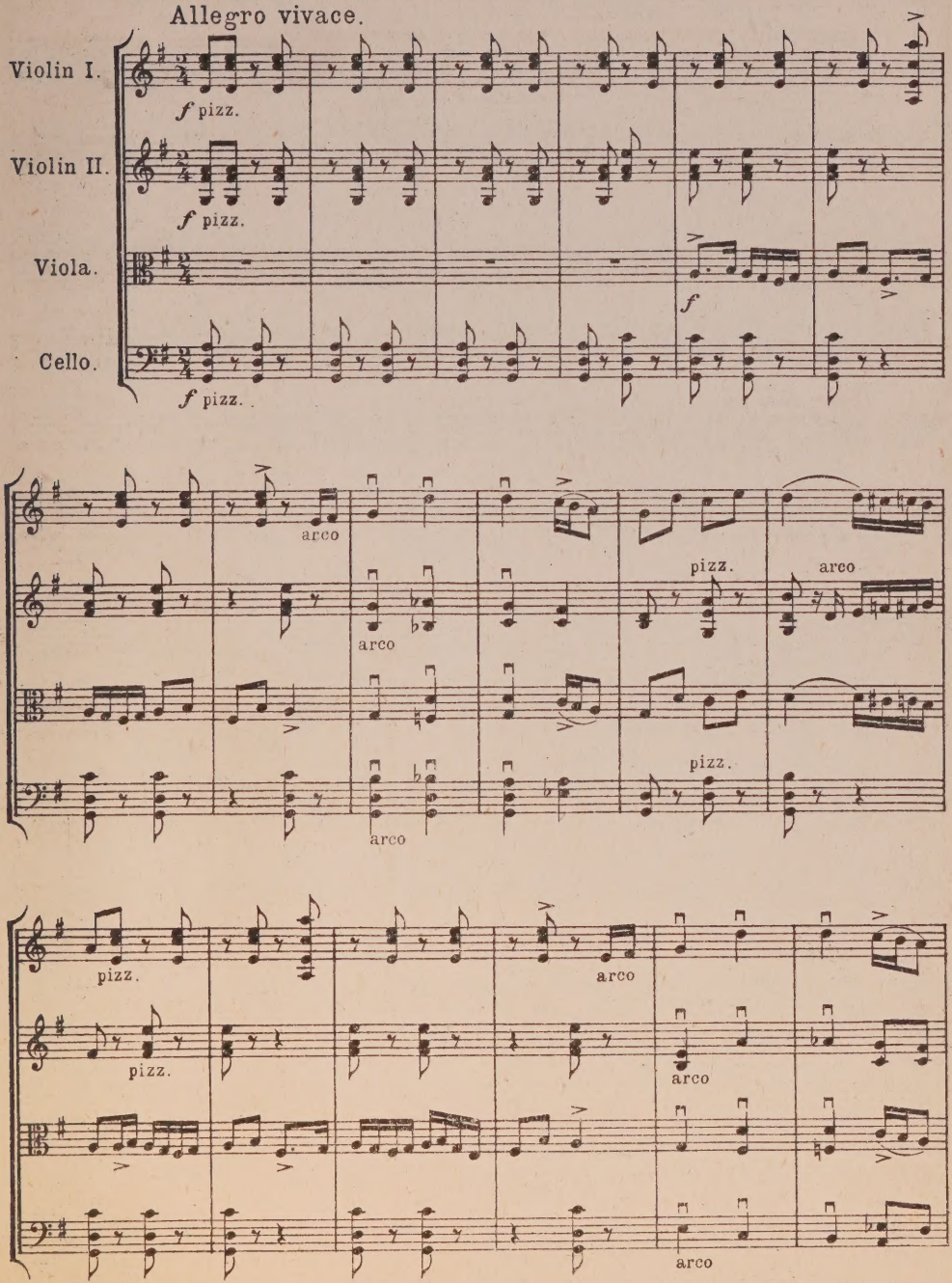

F
pp
crescendo
senza sordini
p
senza sordini
p
senza sordini
mf
f
mf molto cantab.
mf molto cantab.
mf
f
sempre
sempre
sempre
sempre
f
f
f
f
f
f
f
f
f
p
p
p
p

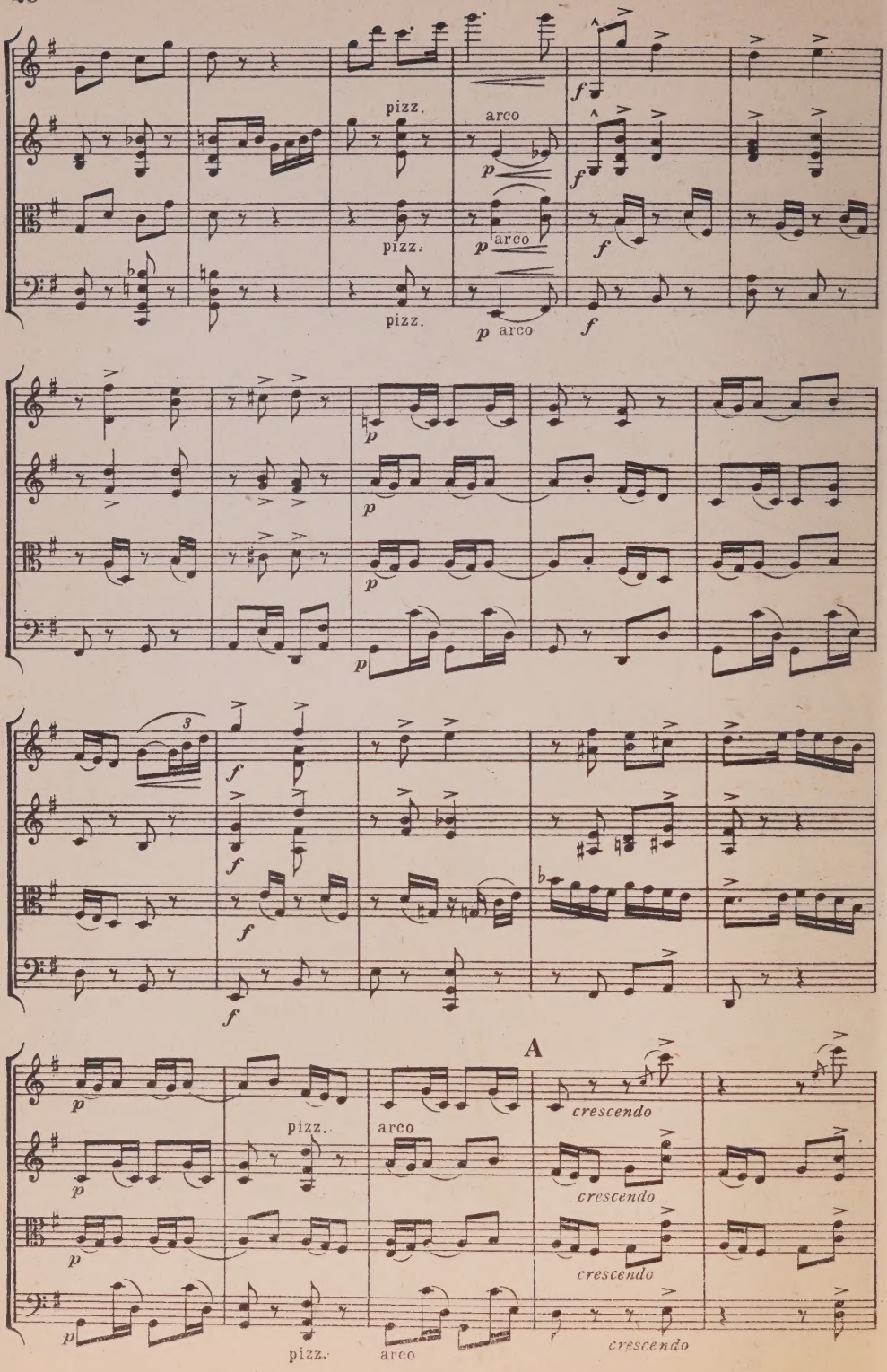

broad molto cantabile
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
f
f
f
f
sordini senza ritenuto
poco dim.
poco dim.
poco dim.
poco dim.
mf
mf diminuendo
mf diminuendo
mf diminuendo
G
pp
pp con sordini
pp
p pizz.
cantabile
p

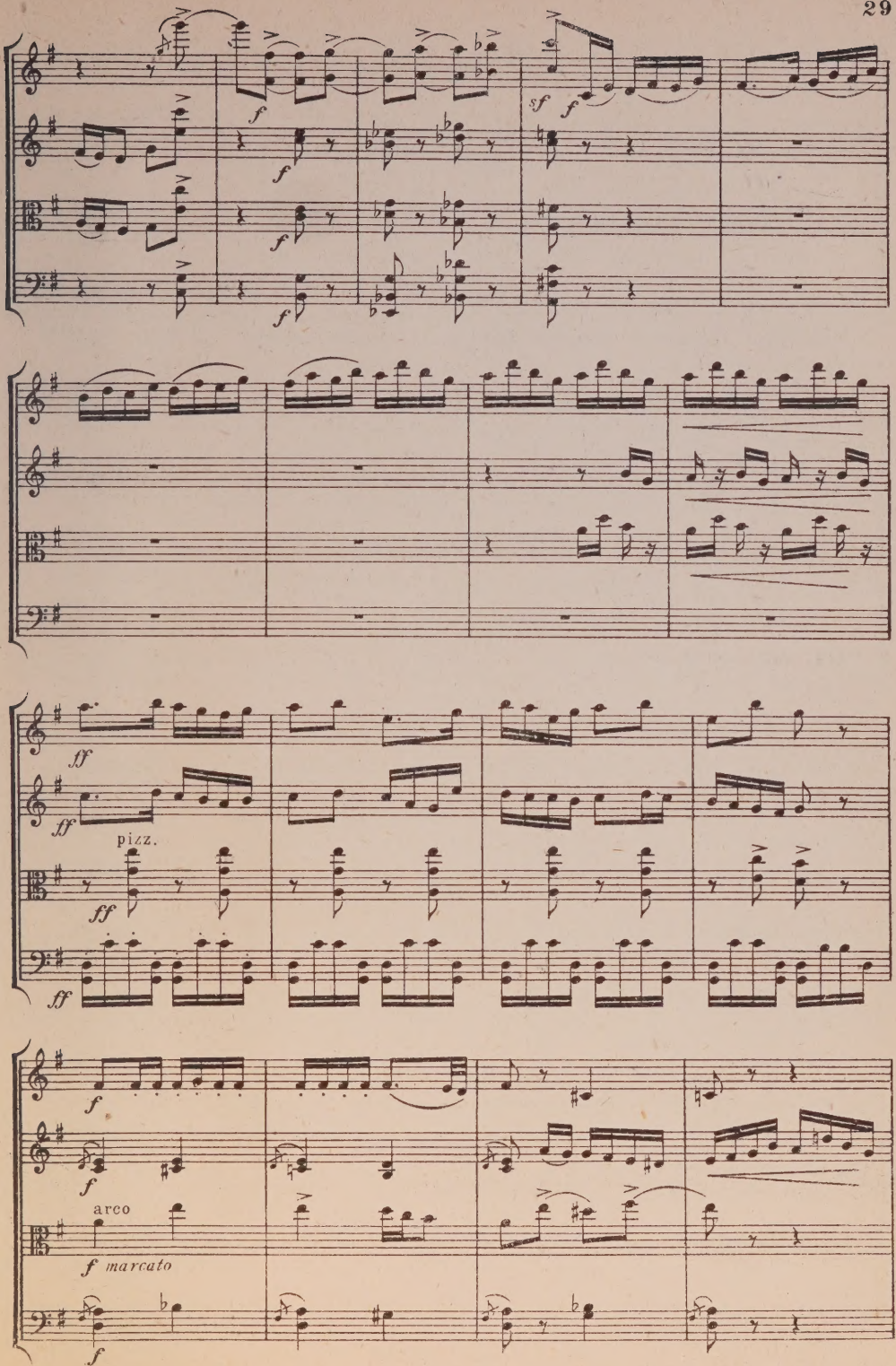

tr
sempre cantabile
poco f
dim.
p
pizz.
mf
pizz.
dim.
sordini
dim.
mf
H
molto tranquillo
pp
con sordini
con sordini
con sordini
pp arco
p
arco
pp
ppp
Sul G
ppp
pp

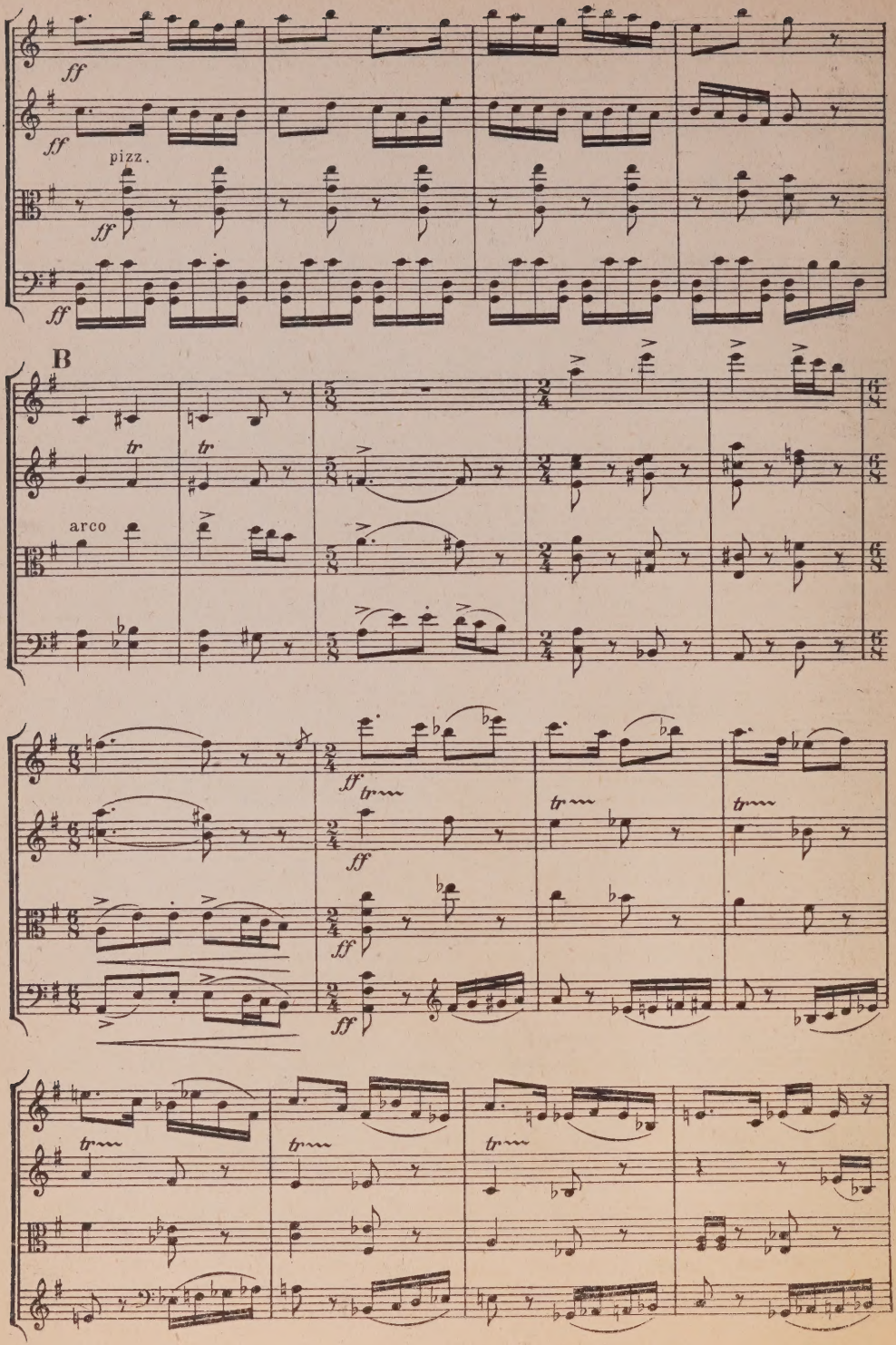
# III

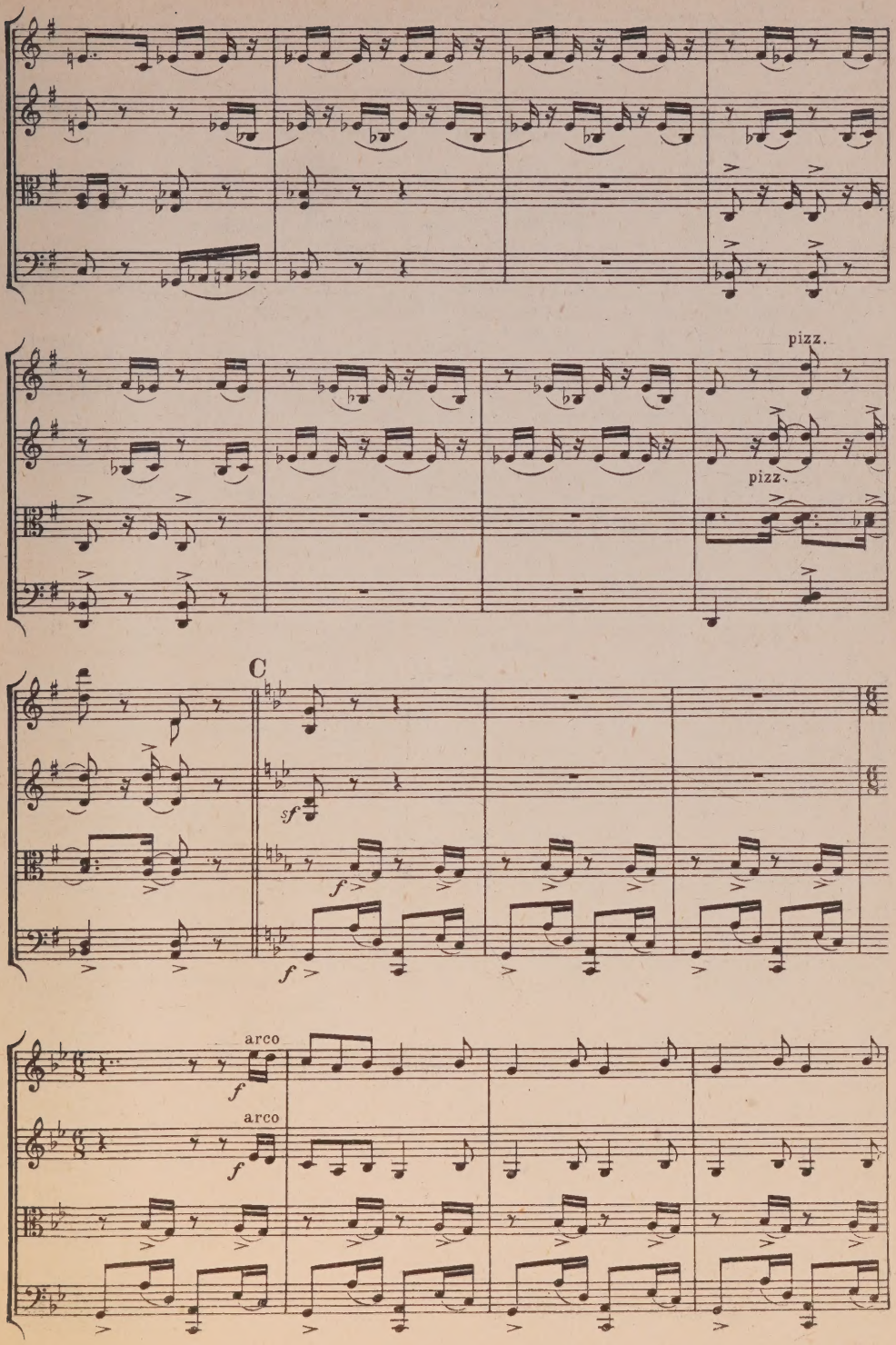
## RONDO.

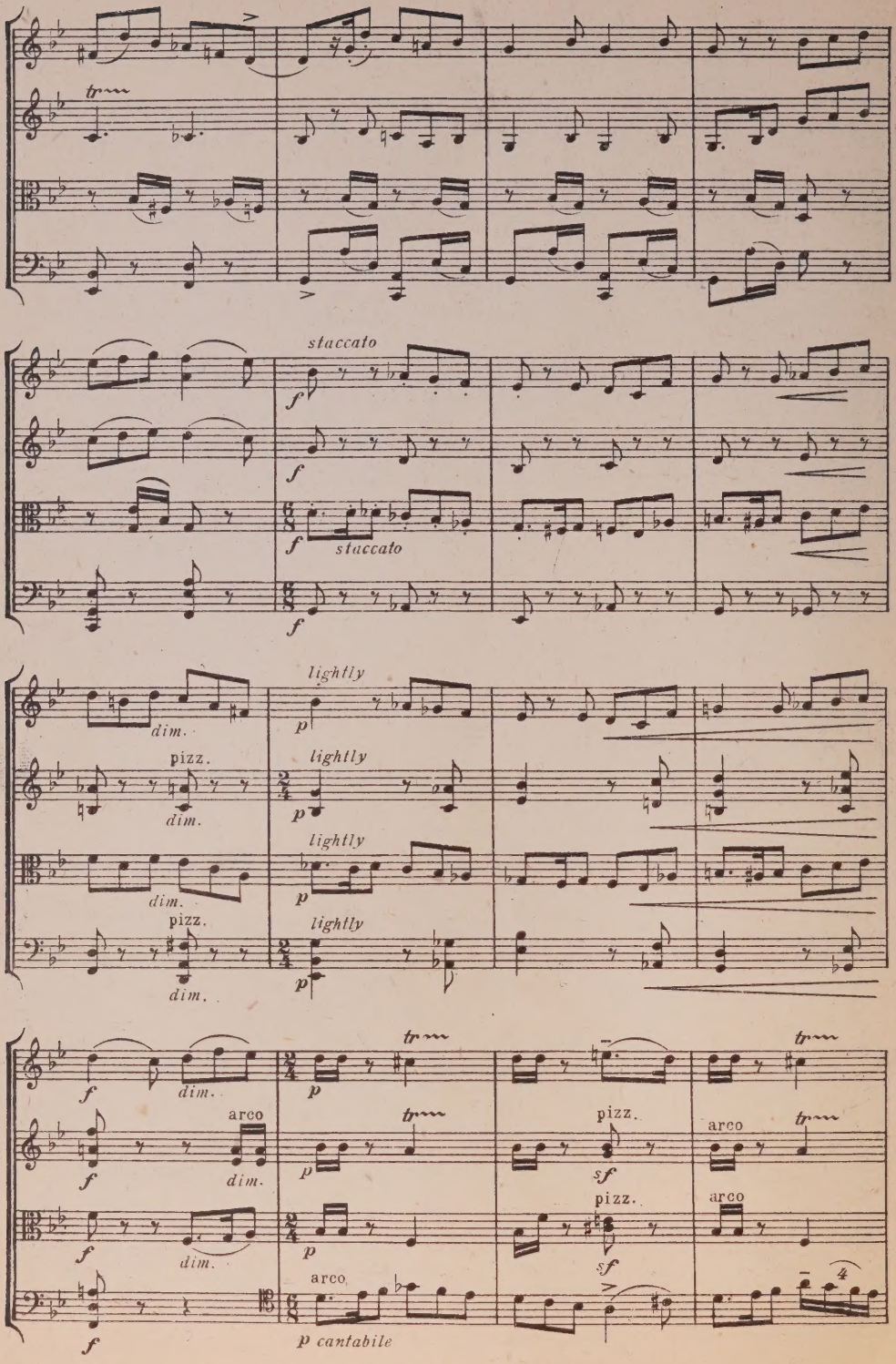

Allegro vivace.
Violin I.
Violin II.
Viola.
Cello.
f pizz.
f
arco
pizz.

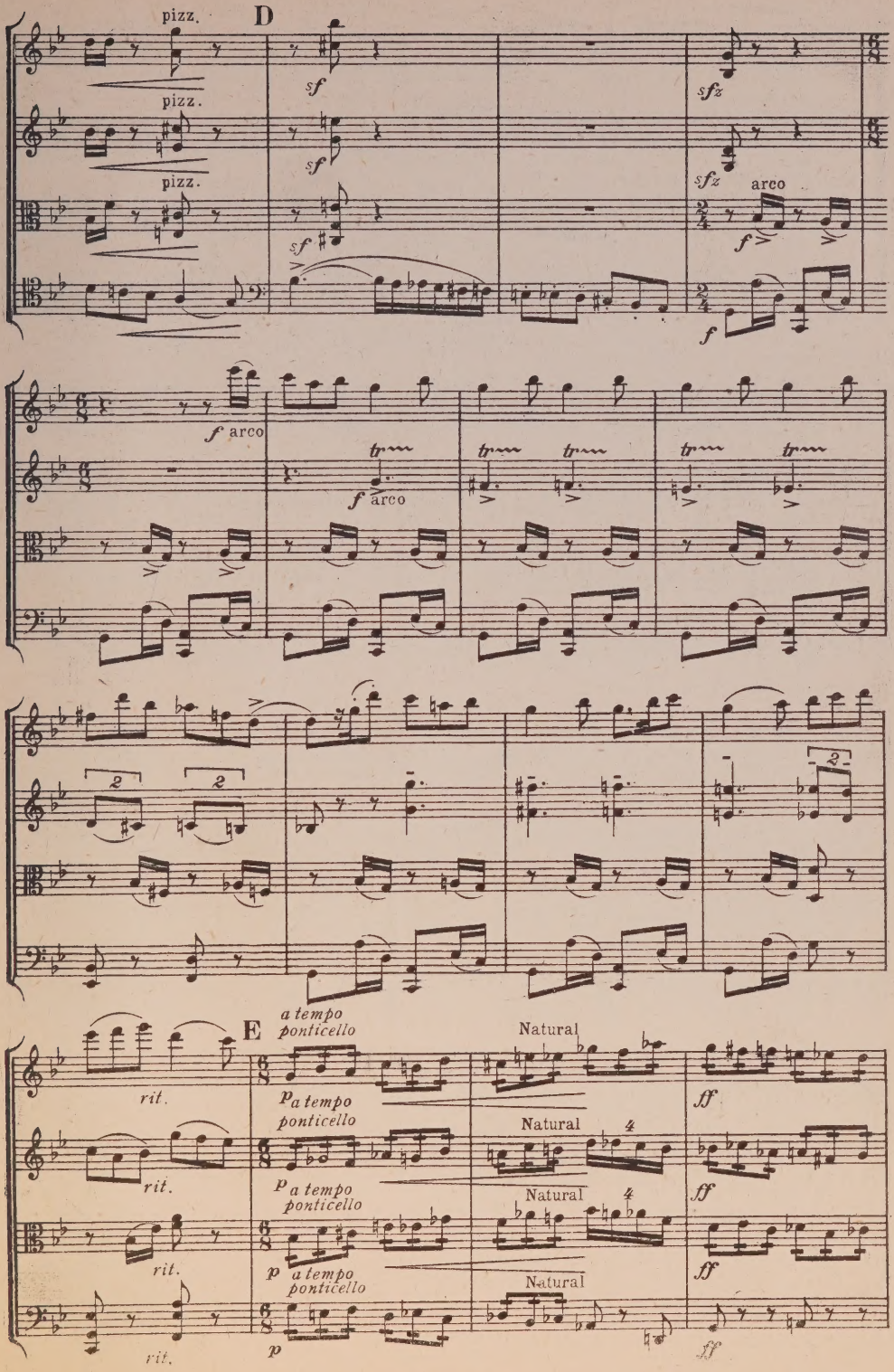

pizz.
arco
pizz.
arco
pizz.
arco
A
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
crescendo
pizz.
arco

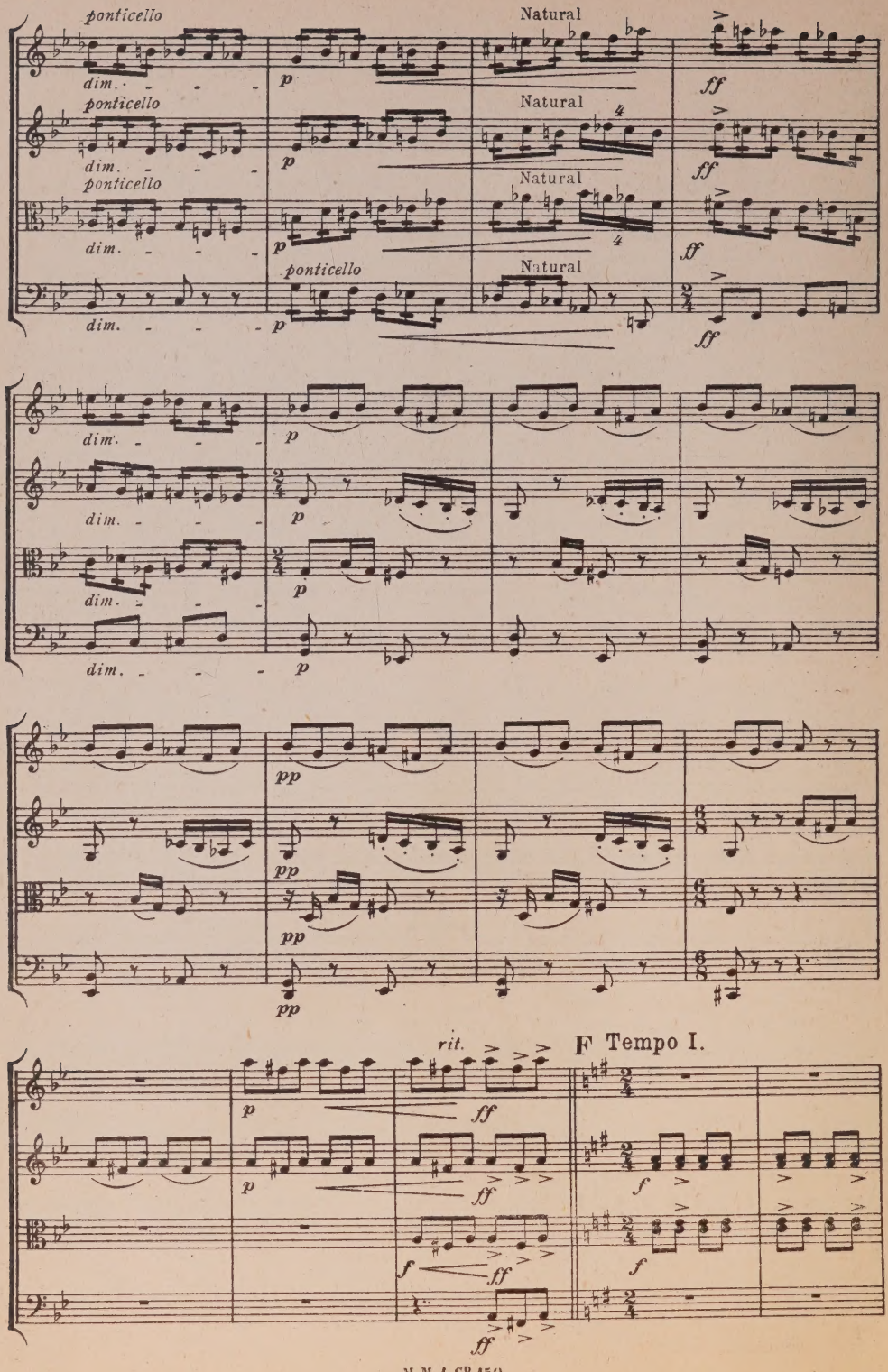

pizz.
arco
f marcato

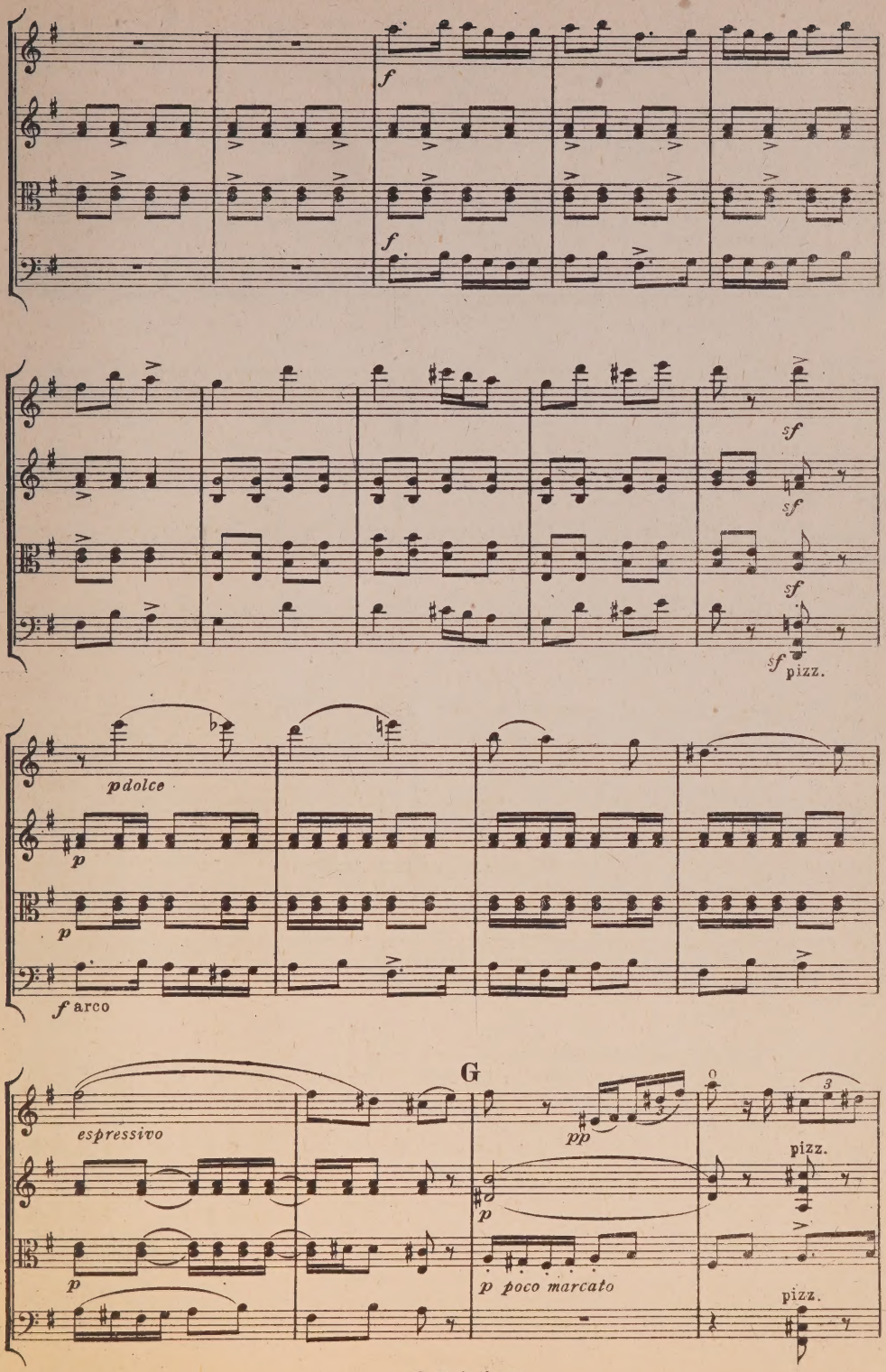

ff
pizz.
B
arco
tr

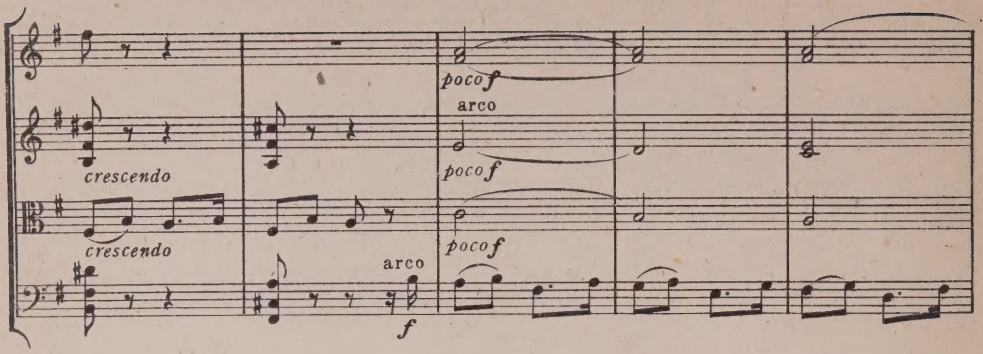

pizz.
pizz.
C
sf
f
arco
arco

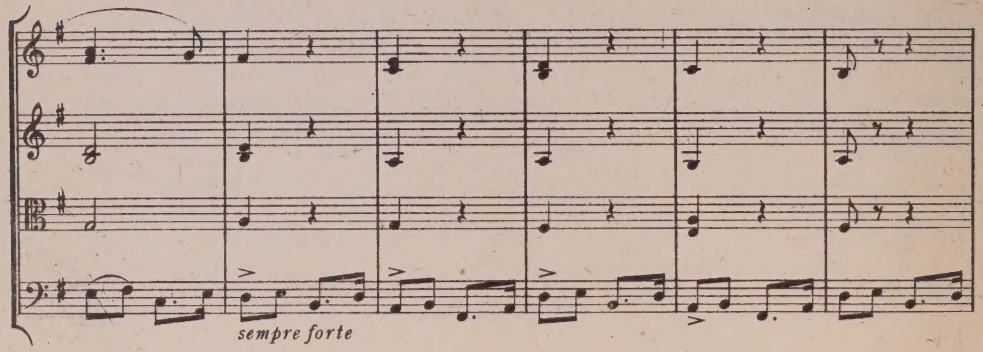

staccato
staccato
lightly
dim.
pizz.
arco
cantabile

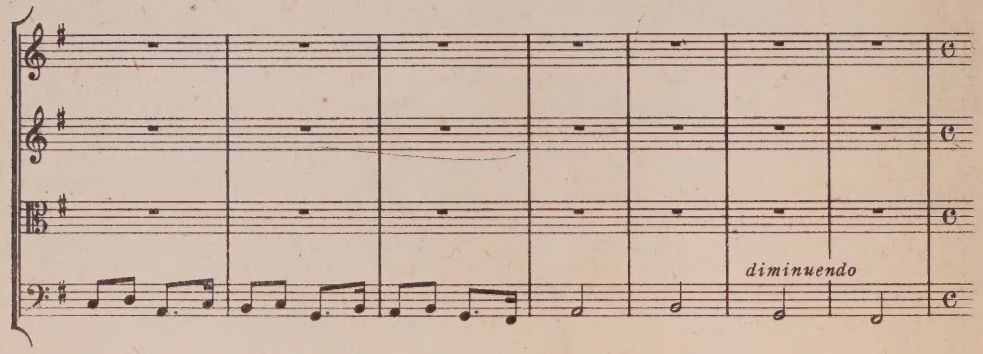

pizz.
D
pizz.
pizz.
arco
f arco
E
a tempo
ponticello
Natural
rit.
ff


ponticello
dim.
p
Natural
ff
F Tempo I.
rit.

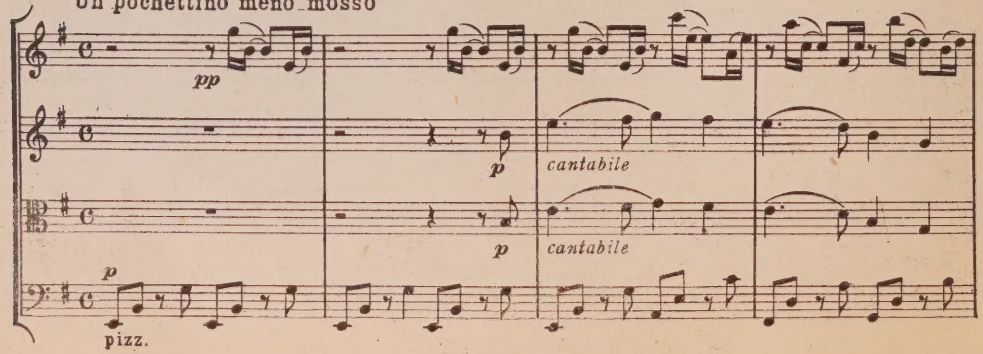

f
f
sf
sf
sf
sf pizz.
p dolce
p
p
f arco
G
espressivo
p
pp
p
p poco marcato
pizz.
pizz.

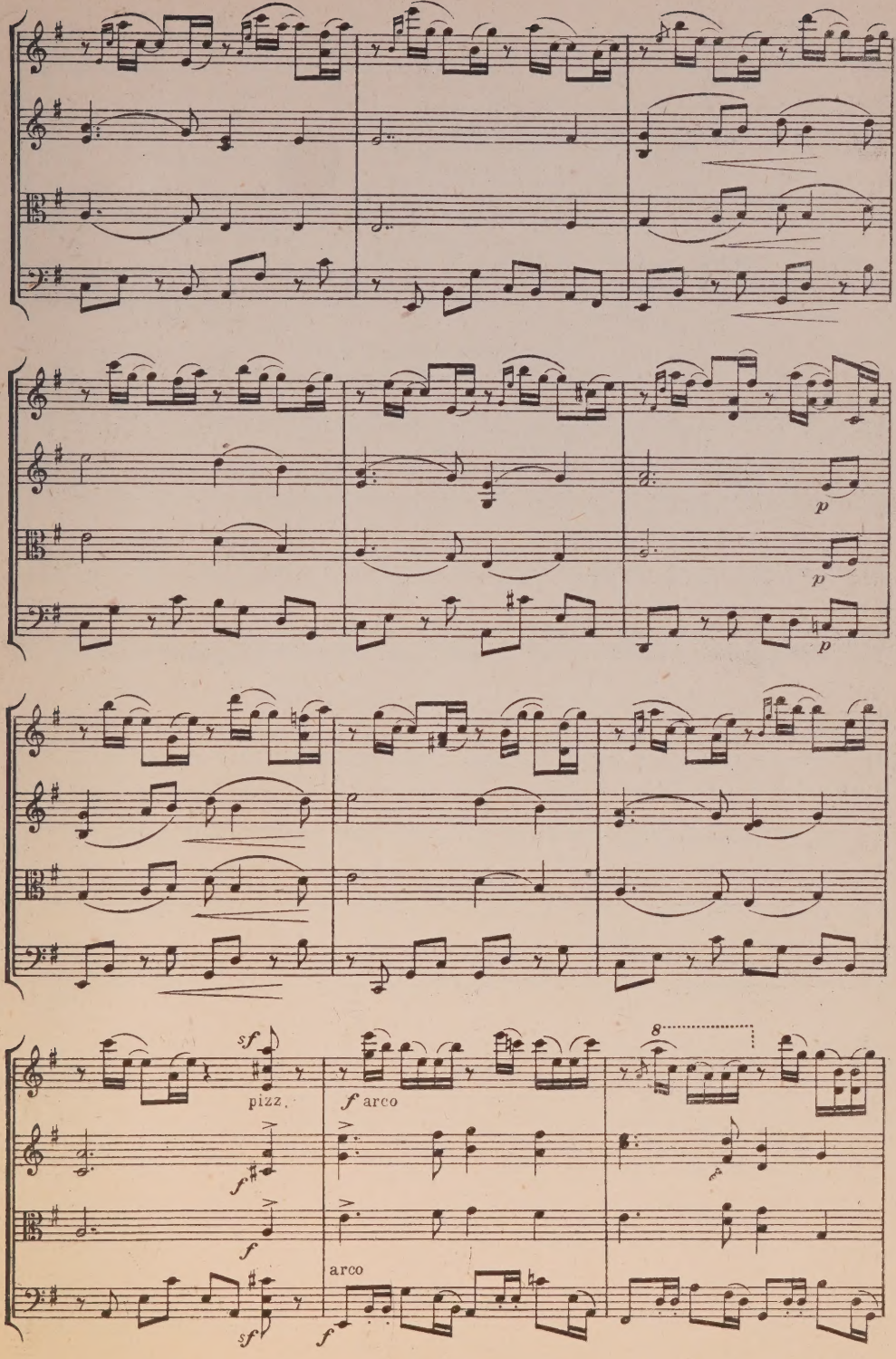


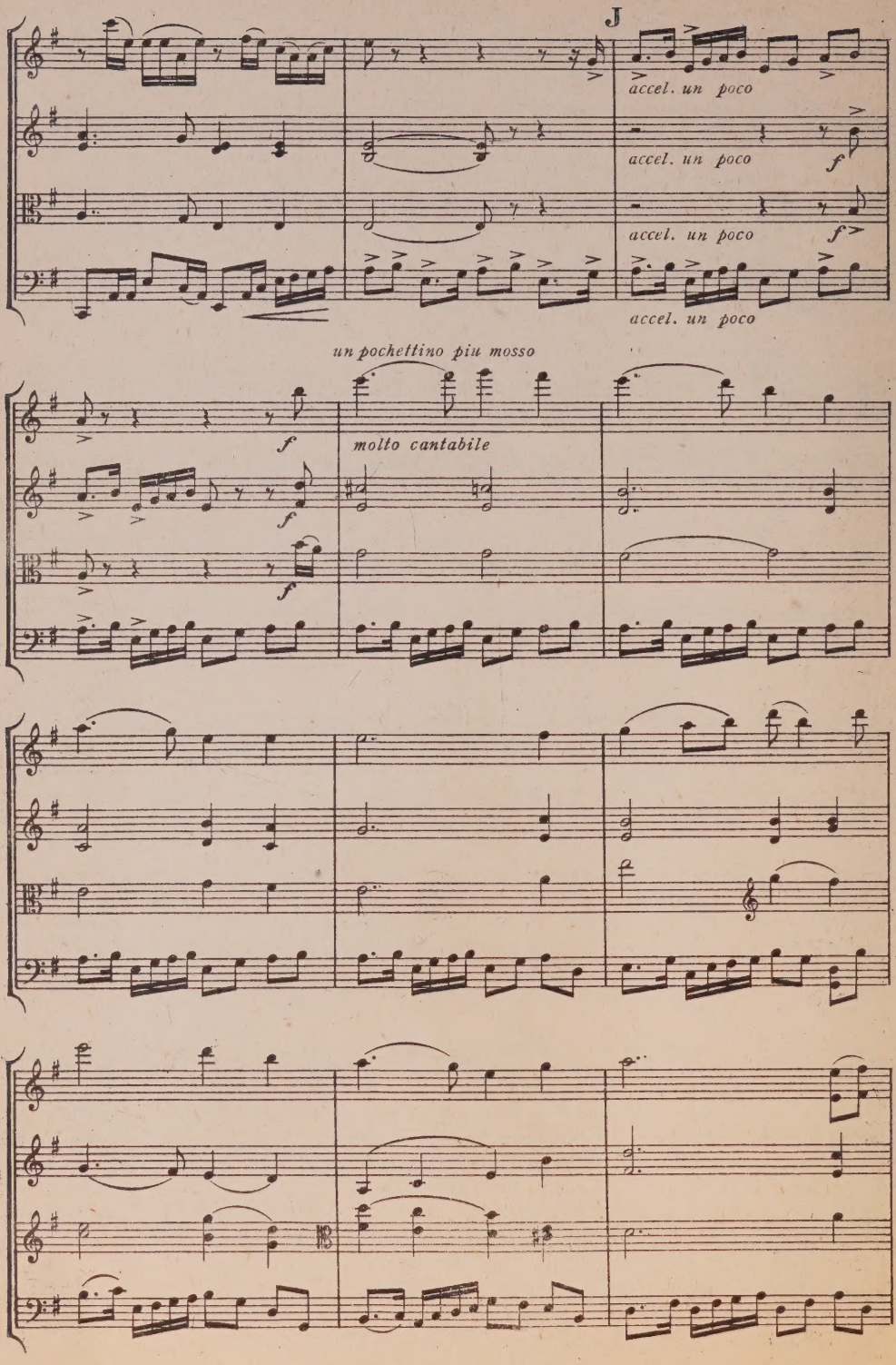



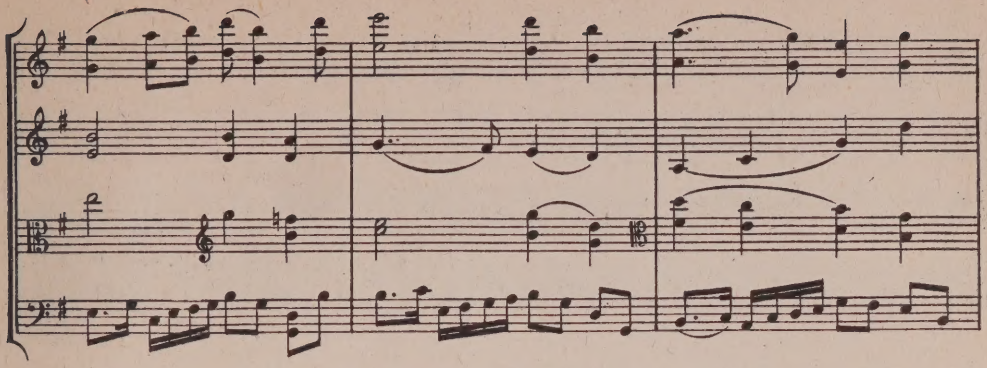



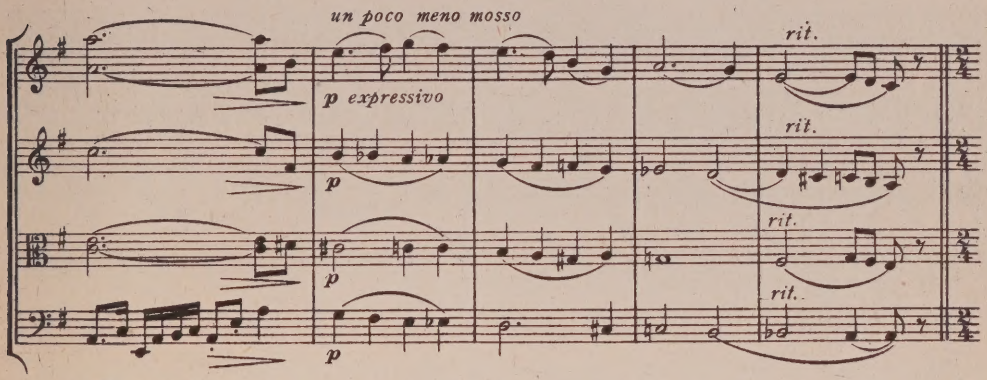

Un pochettino meno mosso



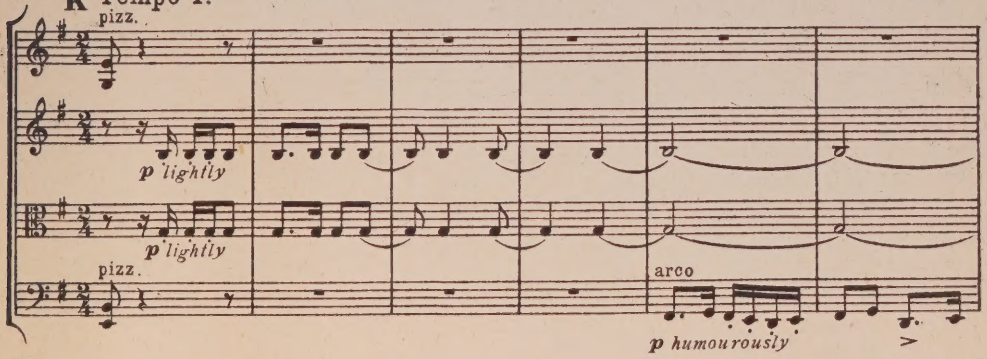

p
p
p
sf
pizz.
f arco
8
f
arco
sf
f

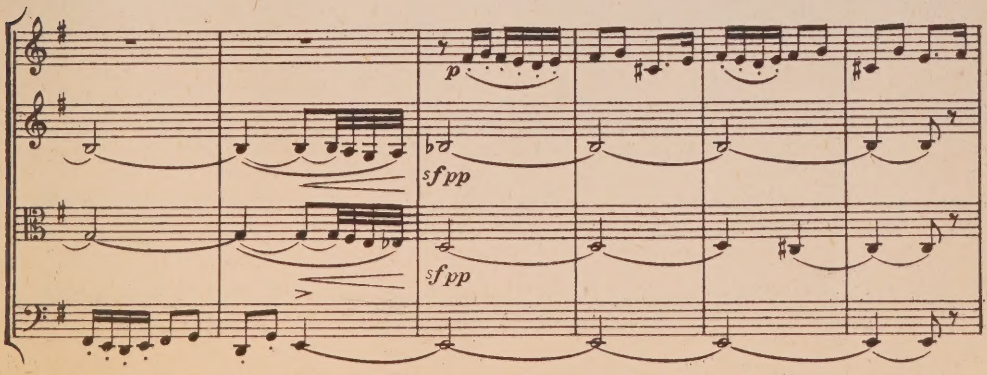

J
accel. un poco
accel. un poco
f
accel. un poco
f
accel. un poco
un pochettino piu mosso
f
molto cantabile
f
f
f

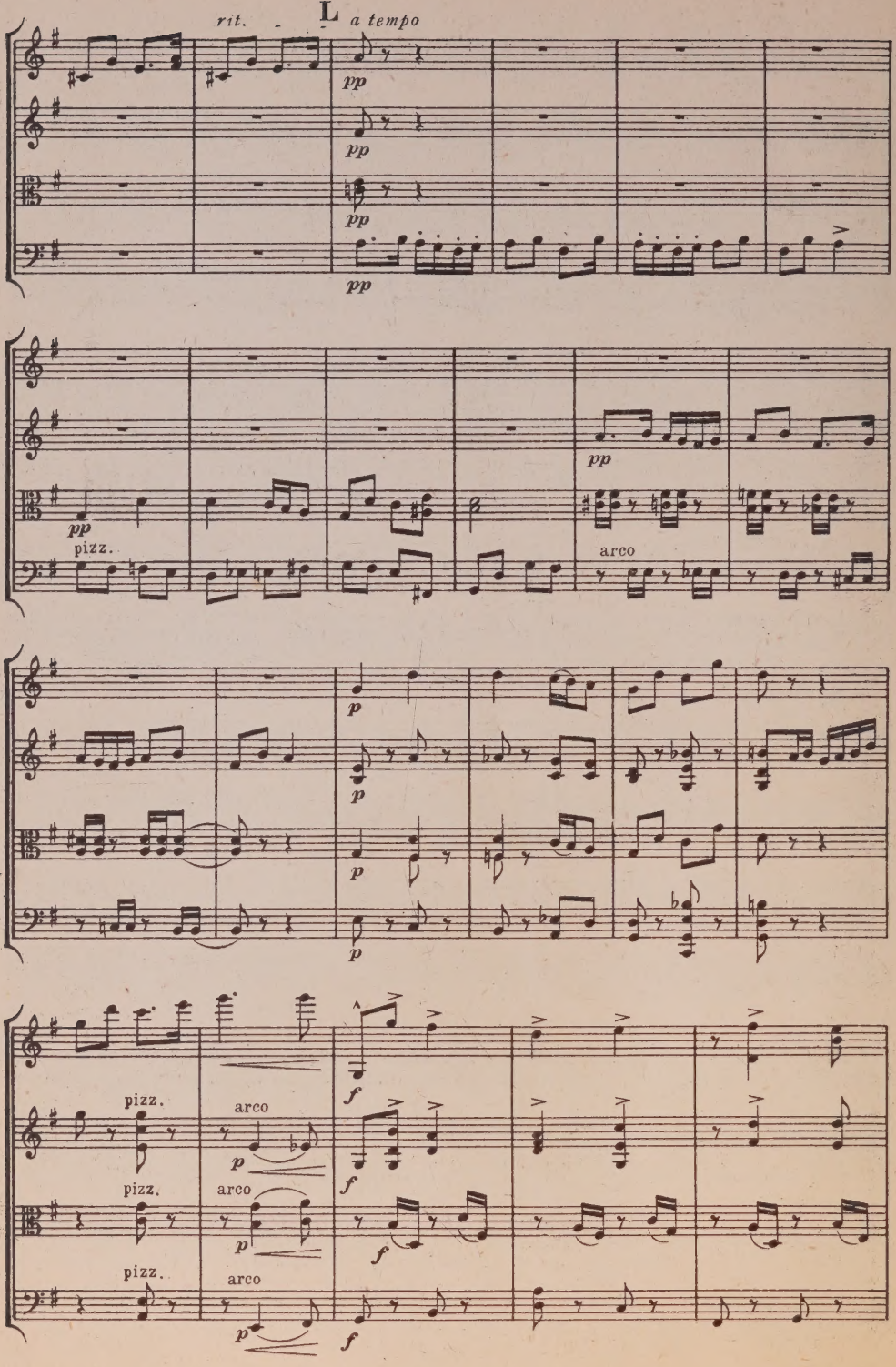


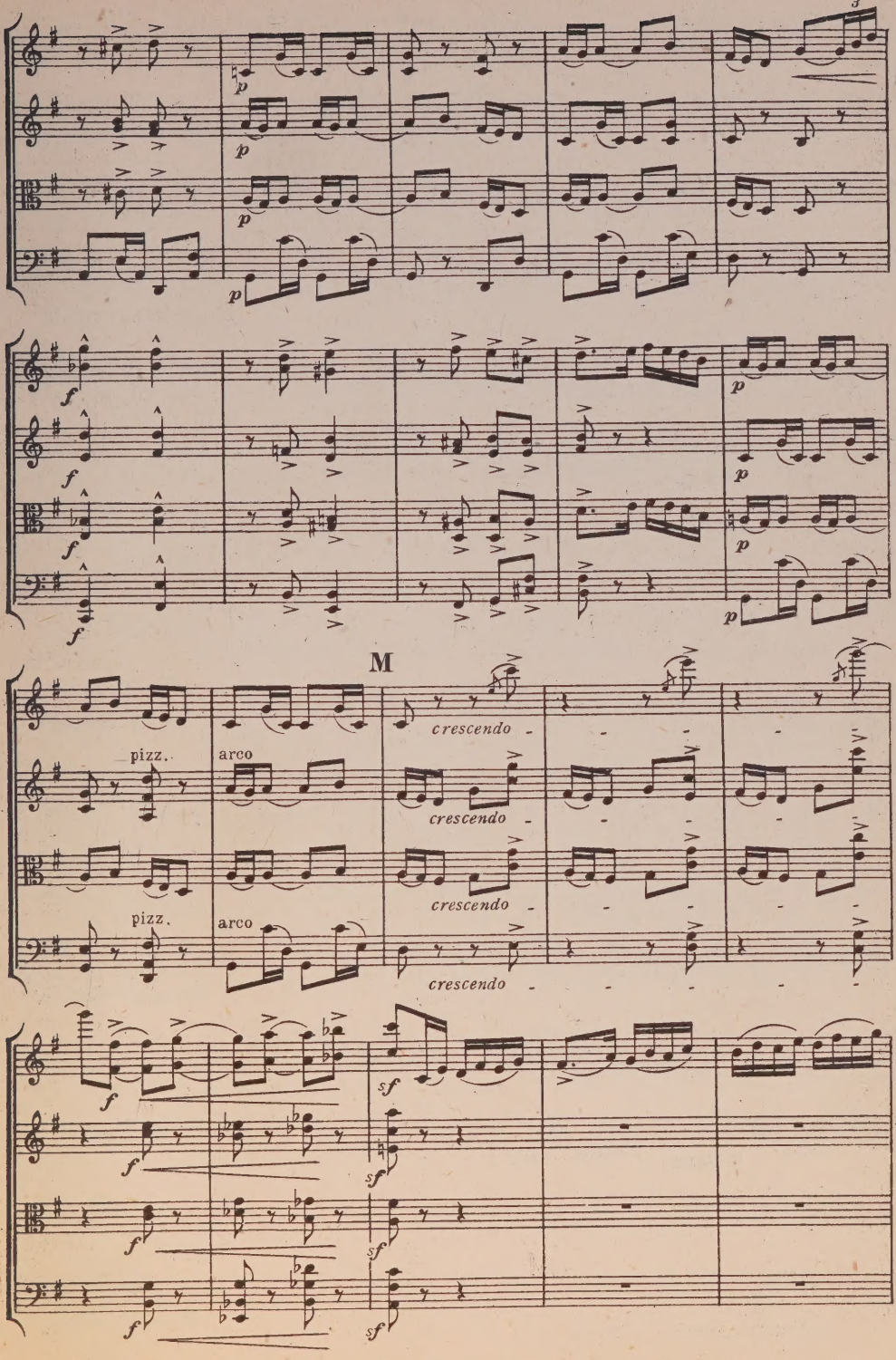

un poco meno mosso
p expressivo
rit.
rit.
rit.
rit.

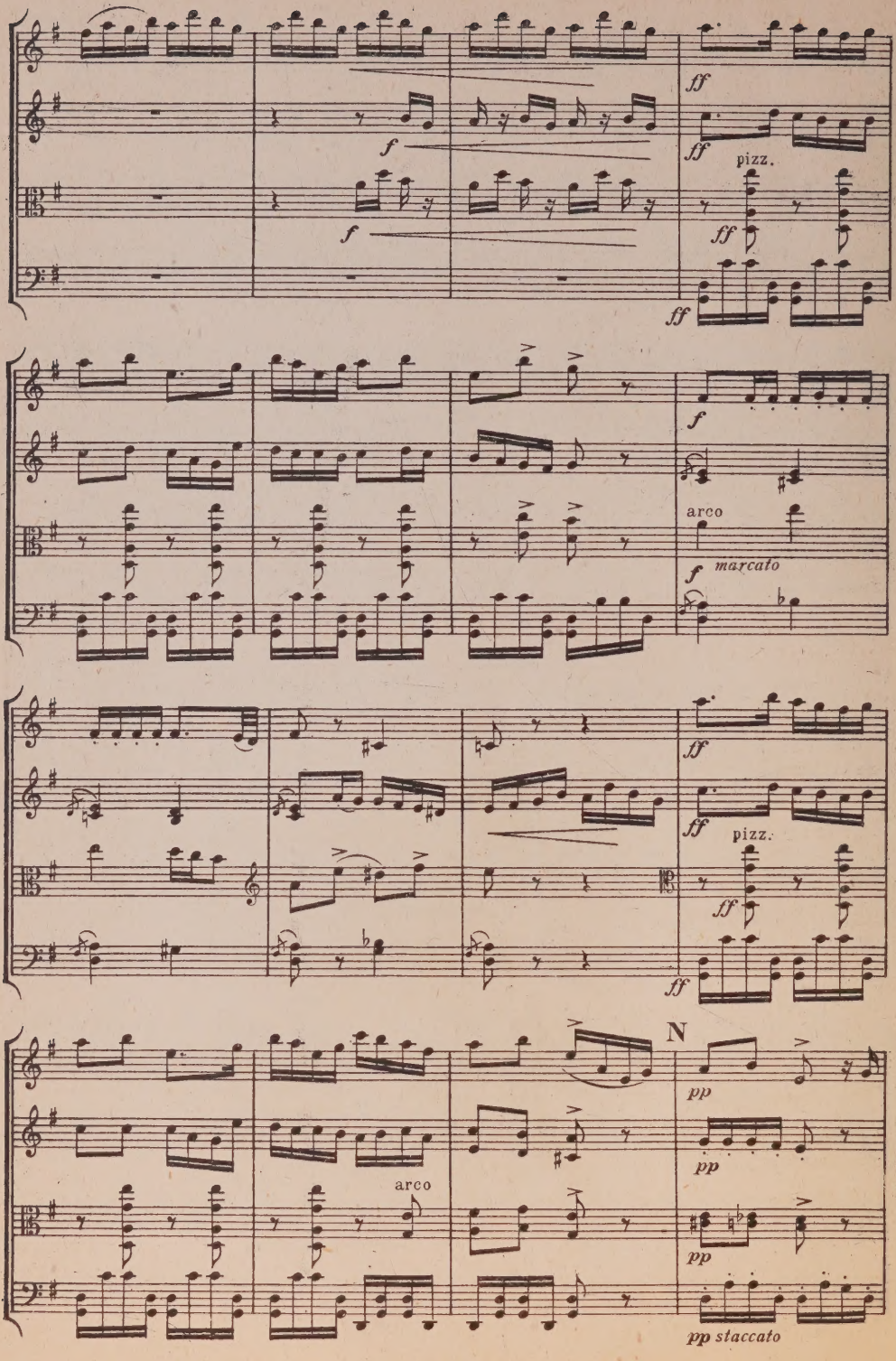
**K Tempo I.**

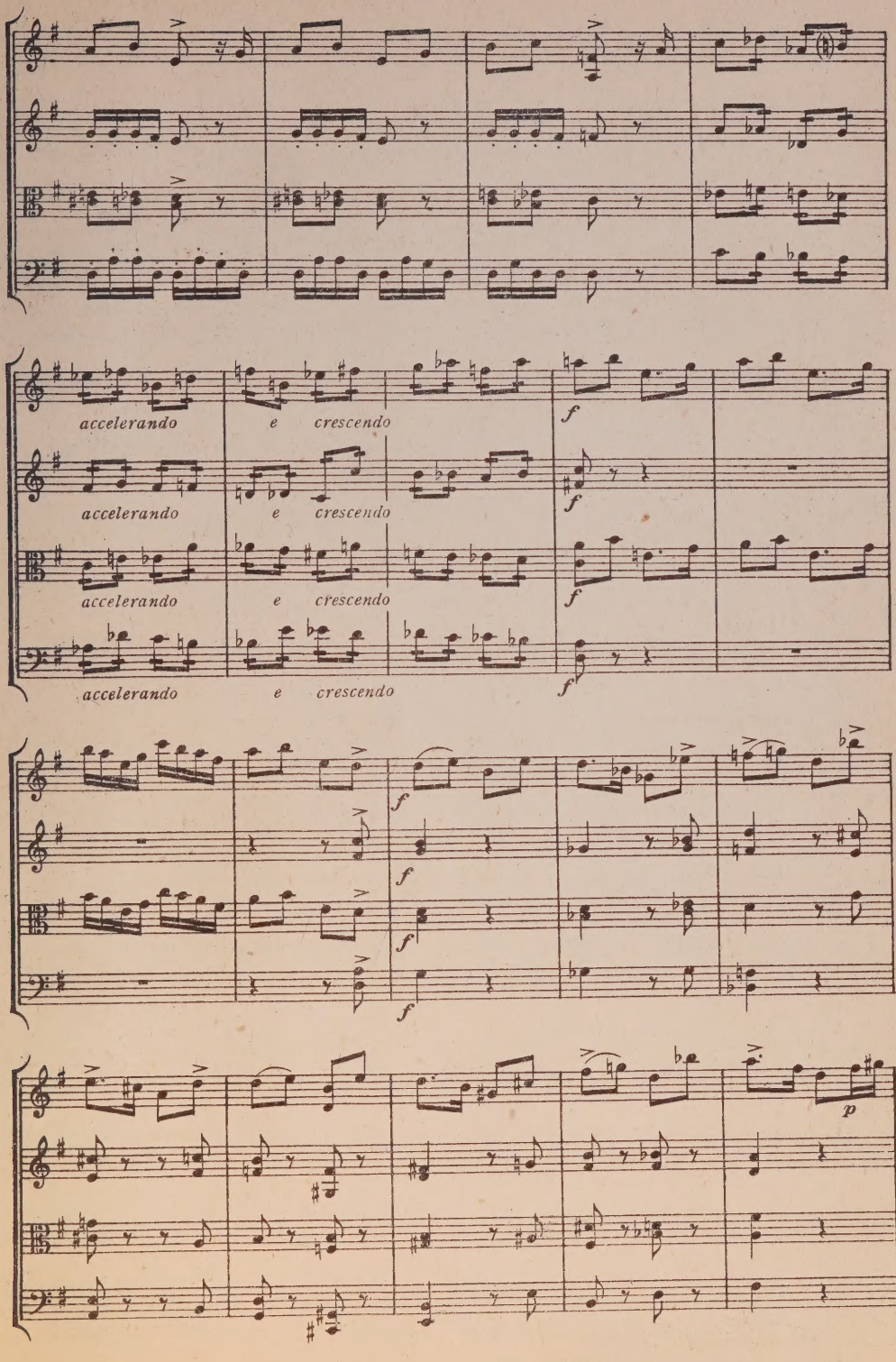

pizz.
p lightly
p lightly
pizz.
arco
p humourously


p
sfpp
sfpp


rit.
L
a tempo
pp
pizz.
arco
p
f


3
p
f
M
pizz.
arco
crescendo
sf


ff
f
ff
pizz.
f
arco
marcato
ff
pizz.
N
pp
arco
pp staccato


accelerando e crescendo
f
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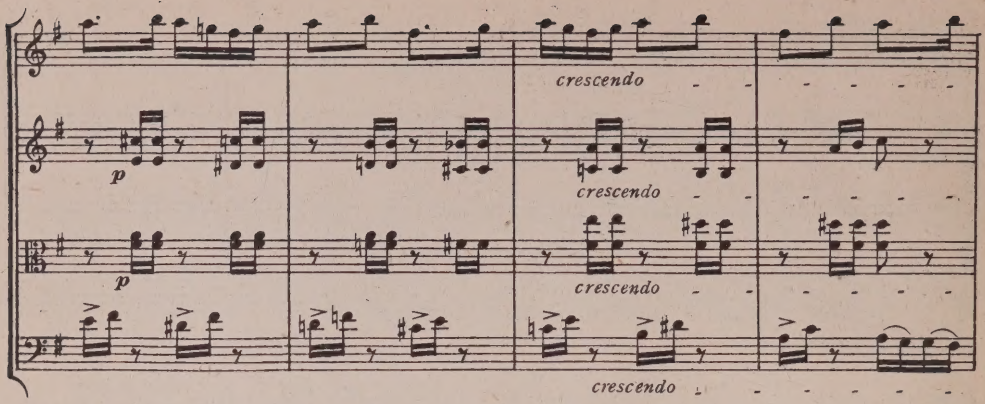
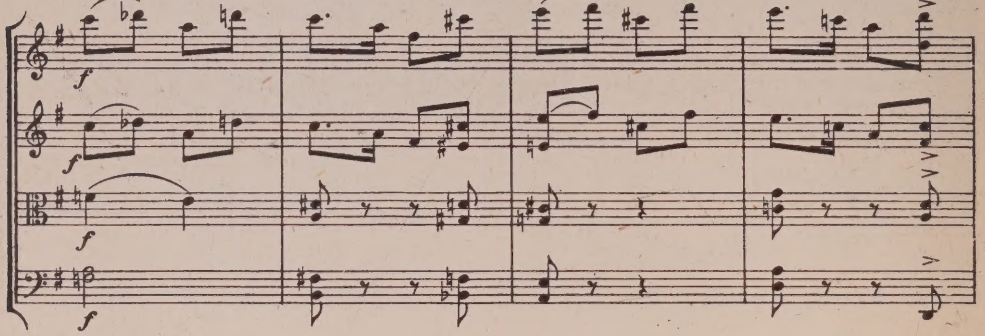
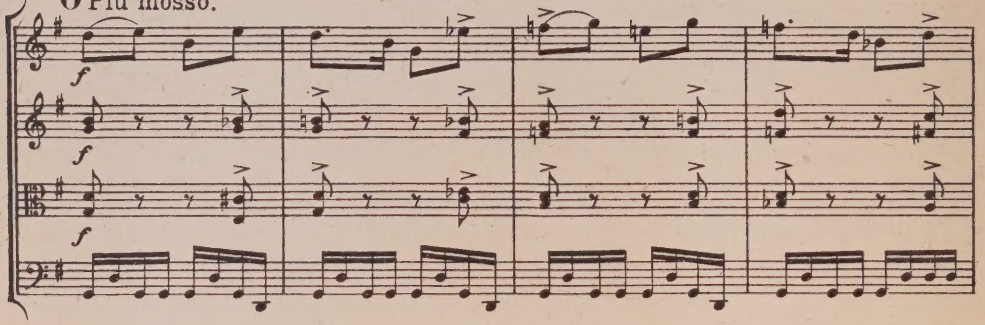
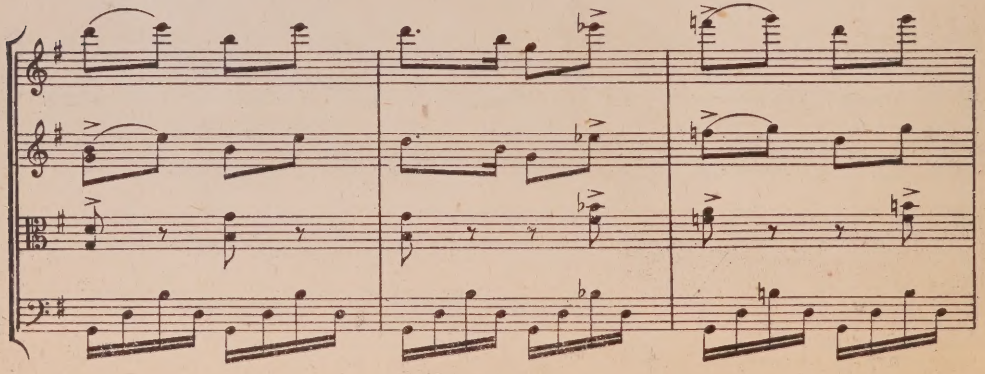
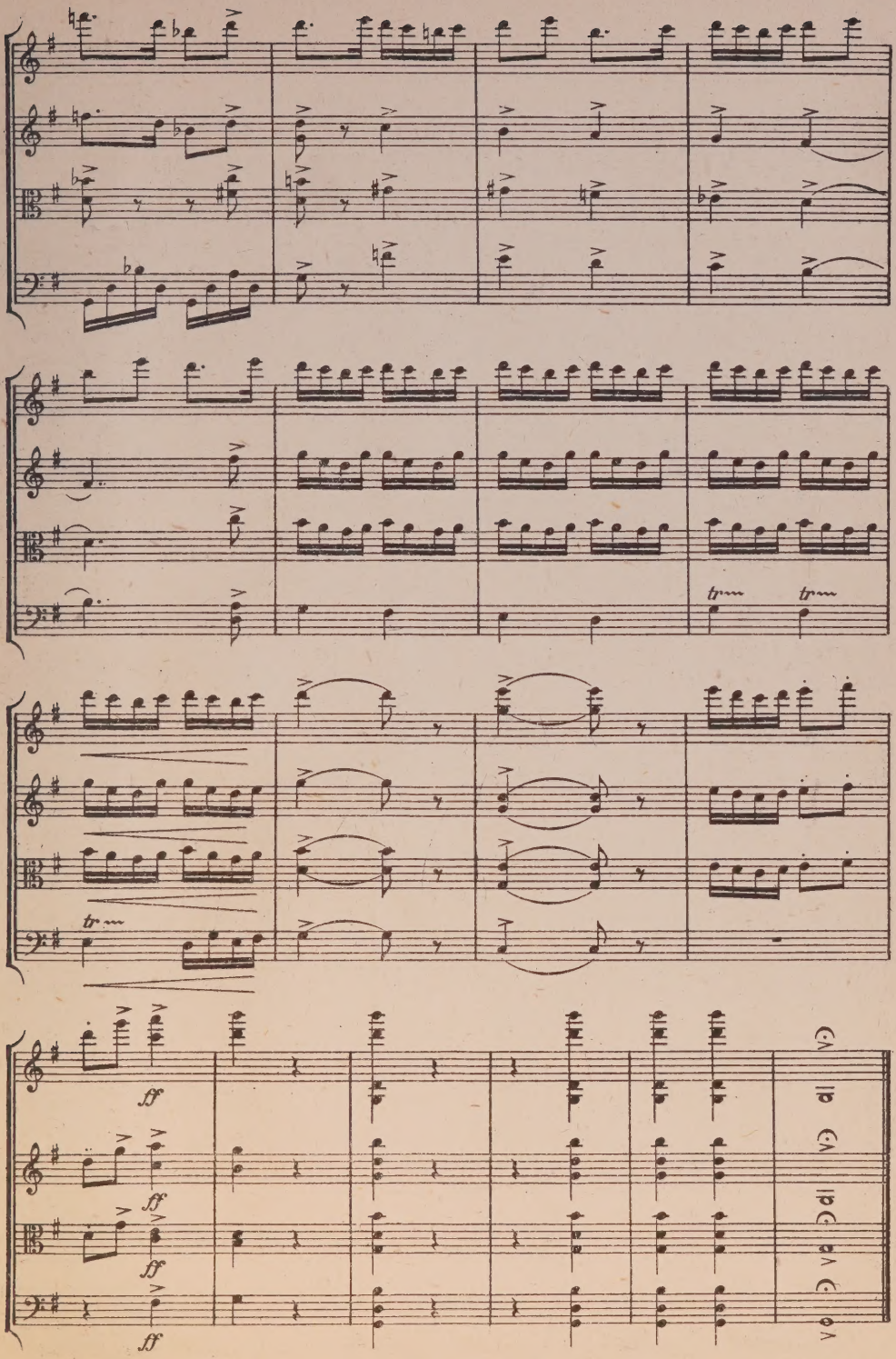



O Piu mosso.



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